

ALLIES CAPTURE LILLE

LIFER FLEES; CELLMATE
AND GUARD KILLED

Bloodhounds on Trail of Convict
Who Escaped From the Folsom
State Prison—Guards Attacked
and Stabbed—Prisoners Used
Knife, Dumbbell and Piece of
Metal

FOLSOM, Cal., Oct. 17.—Posses
searched the country surrounding Folsom
state prison today for Frank
Creeks, who escaped last night in a
break for liberty which cost his cell-
mate, Harold Flash, and J. B. Drury,
a sergeant of the guard, their lives
and resulted in serious injury to two
prison guards. Warden John Smith, in
charge of the pursuit, is using blood-
hounds and as they were put on a
war trail the officials believed the
fugitive would soon be captured.
Creeks is armed and it is thought that
he will fight to the last.

Creeks, a life term, and Flash,
who was serving a 20-year term for
robbery, were the only prisoners con-
cerned in the outbreak.
They had obtained a knife, a dumb-
bell to be used as a bludgeon and a
piece of metal with which to unlock
the door of their cell. Gaining the
yard they crouched behind a door lead-
ing into the main corridor of the
prison and awaited the approach of
Sergeant Drury and Guard Kerr.

When the two, bearing four guns for
the guards inside, entered, they left
the outer door unlocked. As the inner
door swung to, the convicts leaped
upon them. Drury fell with three
knife wounds in his head and three in
his body. Kerr was struck with the
dumbbell but he was able to stagger
back through the outer door and at-
tempt to close it.

The keys, however, had fallen with
the sergeant and the door could not be
locked. Waiting but a moment to
snatch the guns and the keys from the
body of the sergeant, the two convicts
started for the outer yard. Kerr held
the door until the muzzle of one of the
guns was thrust into his stomach and
then retreated.

The convicts rushed out and immedi-
ately Kerr opened fire. At the first
shot Flash fell with a bullet through
the back of his head. Almost at the
same moment Guard Maher, stationed
at one corner of the yard, emptied his
gun at Creeks, who, however, had
wounded the guard in the leg. Before
another guard could interfere with his
progress Creeks escaped.

TWO AUTOS COLLIDED

Crash in Central Street Held up
Traffic for a Time—Nobody
Injured

Traffic in Central street was held up
for a short time this forenoon as a re-
sult of an automobile collision which
occurred near the corner of Central
and Warren streets about 10:15 o'clock.
Fortunately, no one was injured, al-
though it is said both machines were
traveling at a rapid rate when the ac-
cident happened.

A small Maxwell runabout, owned by
Dr. Richard J. McCluskey, and driven
by an employee of a local garage, col-
lided with Dr. Fred E. Varney's Ford
machine, which they were attempting
to pass each other in front of the
Talbot Clothing Co.'s store. It is
understood that one of the machines

skidded and the driver lost control
of it in the middle of the street.
A front wheel on the Maxwell car
was broken off, while slight damages
were caused to the hood. The Ford
car escaped with only slight damages
to the front wheel.

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dear to our hearts. You re-
member sweet Alice, Ben Bolt?
and how often we were told
that there was a pot of gold at
both the feet of the rainbow.
A splendid rainbow put both
feet on the Chalifoux corner
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pots at their feet.
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public.
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GERMANS NOW
OCCUPY OSTEND

Vienna Reports Fighting on the En-
tire Battle Front From Stry and
Sambor, Both to the South of
Przemysl to Mouth of River San—
1,200,000 in the English Army—
Russia Closes Gulfs of Riga and
Finland

LONDON, Oct. 17, 3 a. m.—A dispatch
to the Daily Mail from Boulogne un-
der date of Friday says:

"It is reported here that the Germans
have been driven from Lille."

A dispatch to Reuters Telegram
company from Arras, dated Wednes-
day, says:

"This town is still in the firing line
and exposed to the enemy's attacks.
Only yesterday the Germans made an-
other attempt to recapture it under
cover of darkness, but after several
hours of violent artillery and rifle fire
the French were left in possession of
all their positions."

The recapture of Lille, which the
Germans occupied with an army corps,
would be in line with recent successes
of the Allies, at Eglar and Laventie,
frustrating of the Allies, at La-
ventie and Laventie, frustrating the
German effort to reach the French
coast cities.

ENGLISH AIRPLANE WAS SHOT
DOWN AND TWO AVIATORS
CAPTURED

LONDON, Oct. 17.—A despatch to the
Exchange Telegraph company from
Amsterdam says that according to the
German press, an English
aeroplane was shot down near Pa-
rnone, France, inside the German lines.
The two aviators aboard were cap-
tured.

GULFS OF RIGA AND FINLAND
CLOSED—RUSSIANS LAY
MINES

PETROGRAD, Oct. 17.—The Russian
government announces that because of
the presence of German submarines in
the gulf of Finland and the sailing of
mines in Russian waters by the en-
emy it has been compelled in turn to
have recourse to similar measures.
Consequently certain zones of Russian
waters, especially those near the gulfs
of Riga and Finland and the littoral
archipelago must be considered as
dangerous.

In order that non-combatants shall
not run risks the entrances and exits
of the gulfs of Riga and Finland, it
is stated are considered closed from
the moment of publication of this no-
tice.

VIENNA REPORTS FIGHTING ALONG
THE ENTIRE BATTLE
FRONT

VIENNA, Oct. 17.—(Via London)—It
was announced officially in Vienna to-
day that the fighting continued yester-
day (Thursday) along the entire
battle front from Stry and Sambor,
both to the south of Przemysl to the
mouth of the river San.

In Marmaros-Siget, Hungary, the
enemy has been pursued by Austrian
detachments, which have occupied
Pall.

In the valley of the Black Bistrica
the Russians are retreating. Our
troops have followed them to Zellana.
The river Bistrica and the town of
Zellana are in Galicia, close to the
Hungarian frontier and to the north-
east of Marmaros-Siget.

REPORT GERMANS LEAVING OS-
TEND FOR THE EAST—DAMAGE
AT MALDEGHEM

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The correspond-
ent of the Times today telegraphed the
following story regarding the move-
ment of German troops in northwest-
ern Belgium.

"The German troops are leaving Os-
tend for the east. Approximately 5000

are now lodged in the public buildings
of Ostend. Two thousand have left
Zeebrugge and there are no Germans
between Peyst and Sluis. The Ger-
mans billeted at Bruges are behaving
well but those at Maldeghem have
caused considerable damage."

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR
NEWS GIVEN IN BRIEF
FORM

French report they have captured
Laventie, on the way from Estaires to
Lille.

Germans occupied Ostend Thursday,
according to Berlin official report.

TROOPS FROM CANADA
ARE CAMPING AT SALISBURY, ENG.

—MANY NATURALIZED AMERI-
CANS AMONG THEM

SALISBURY, Eng., Oct. 17.—Begin-
ning before dawn yesterday from sta-
tions within a radius of 10 miles, Cana-
dian troops have been pouring into
camps prepared for them on the roll-
ing Salisbury Plains near here.

Long before dawn the sleepy old
villages scattered over the country
were awakened by the clang of hoofs
on the hard roads.

Those who listened heard a strange
medley. The notes of "It's a Long
Way to Tipperary" mingled with the
Spanish-American war favorite,
"There'll Be a Hot Time in the Old
Town Tonight," and other American
melodies resounded in the quiet
English dale.

Along the roads the troops every-
where were received with enthusiasm.
The people expecting a wild west dis-
play, however, were disappointed, for
with the exception of the sombrero
worn by the cavalry, the uniforms of
the Canadians are much the same as
those of the English troops.

The greatest contrast between the
English forces and the Canadians is
the difference in physique. The Cana-
dians are on an average much
larger men and stronger looking than
their English comrades.

There is a surprising number of
naturalized Americans, among these
Canadian forces.

HAS GRUESOME FIND

FISHERMAN PULLS UP WOMAN'S
HAIR ON HOOK IN LAKE COB-
BOSSEECONTEE

NEWBURYPORT, Oct. 17.—Percy B.
Jackson of this city who has just re-
turned from Maine, says that while

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Alles have saved western railway
system of France, says Paris report.

German reinforcements sent to west-
ern battle front estimated at 300,000
men.

German column defeated with
heavy loss in passes of the Vosges as
reported at Basel.

Hungary has 10,000 cases of cholera,
German General Staff claims Col.
Gordon of Gordon Highlanders admits
dumdum bullets were issued to him.

Marquis di San Giuliano, Italian for-
eign minister, dies in Rome.

Polish wireless station—was re-
leased for alleged violation of neutral-
ity in reporting arrival there of Ger-
man war vessel Geler.

fishing in Lake Cobosseecontee in
Winthrop several days ago he found
something on his line that seemed
to be unusually heavy. When he suc-
ceeded in pulling in his line he was
horried to find a large bunch of
human hair on the hook, evidently
from the head of a woman.

Mr. Jackson has since concluded
that the affair ought to be looked into
and says that he will communicate
with the Winthrop officials.

POLICE HAVE A CLUE

TO THE PARTIES WHO STOLE
MONEY AND JEWELRY FROM
KEITH'S THEATRE

No important arrests have yet been
made in connection with the robbery
which occurred in the dressing room
at Keith's theatre last Monday after-
noon. Lieut. Martin Maher, Sergt.
David Petrie and Inspector Walsh
have been working on the case and
although several boys have been
brought to the police station and put
through the third degree, none seemed
to know much about the matter and so
all were released. However, the police
detectives are still working on clues
which may result in arrests in the
near future.

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thing else that will represent a
saving to our customers. That's
the story. How many waists do
you want?

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THE FIELDS OF BATTLE

Discomforts of Soldiers Aug-
mented by Rain and Difficulties
of Operations Increased—Ger-
mans to Attack Allies on Their
Front—Significant Develop-
ments Near Lille

PARIS, Oct. 17.—A steady downpour
of rain has drenched the fields of bat-
tle. The discomforts of the troops
have been augmented by the rain and
the difficulties of operations increased.
With the resumption of fighting today
interest centers in that point in the
long line where the most important
developments are expected. This is
on the left wing.

The brevity of recent official com-
munications is being commented on
in Paris today and the fact that fight-
ing has been going on as usual in
making the people of the city ask if
the present comparative silence is not
the lull preceding the storm.

The joining of the barrier between
the coast and Ypres to that of the ex-
isting front, has made it impossible,
in the judgment of French military
experts, to turn the allies. On the
contrary, it will now be necessary
for the Germans to attack the allies

on their front and it has been thought
here that such an attempt would be
made between Ostend and Ghent. To
challenge this argument, however, is
the fact that significant developments
are said to be taking place near Lille.

Colonel Roussel, the military critic,
in his review of the situation today
declares that it is now too late for
the Germans to envelop the Franco-
British line on their left.

"I see in the change of front oper-
ated by the enemy," the colonel
writes, "only an admission of increas-
ing embarrassment. German affray
is at the present time a little dis-
concerting and I believe that the di-
rectory of this strategy are themselves
completely disconcerted. They have
tried to force both our wings. The
engagements in the region of Roef
Lassaigny have partaken of the
Homeric. They have not procured
for the Germans any benefit, nor have
the combats which have taken place
on the other extremity of our front."

WED IN SECRET

Miss Madeline White
Heroine in Romantic
Wedding in Boston

The parents, relatives and intimate
friends of Miss Madeline A. White of
56 Belmont avenue, this city, were
surprised last night when they learned
that she had been the heroine of a
secret marriage yesterday afternoon
with Spencer P. Kennard of 31 New-
bury street, Boston.

Both bride and bridegroom are so-
cially prominent, Miss White—or Mrs.
Kennard—is the daughter of A. Wil-
lam White, head of the American
Hill & Leather company in Perry St.

Mr. Kennard is the son of Mrs.
Daphne Hills, with whom he made his
home, and a nephew of Arthur W.
Kennard of 457 Beacon street, Boston,
a member of the jewelry firm of Hol-
denson, Kennard & Co. at 26 State street.

The wedding took place in Boston,
but the relatives of the young couple
decline to say where or by whom
the ceremony was performed. After
they had notified their parents and
received forgiveness, Mr. and Mrs.
Kennard left for New York on the
first stage of their wedding journey.

There was no objection on the part
of the parents of either the bride or
the bridegroom except on the score
of their youth. Mr. Kennard is only
22 years old and his wife is two or
three years his junior.

They have been friends for the past
three years and have been seen to-
gether frequently during the past sum-

mer at Magnolia where the Whites
have their summer home.

During the last month the bride's
parents have been living in an apart-
ment house in the Back Bay, Boston,
and for this reason Mr. Kennard was
able to offer his bride without the
necessity of duplicating it in this city.

None of the bride's intimate friends
was aware of her intention and she
made no mention of it to them when
she attended the Proctor-Wadleigh
wedding Thursday night.

Mrs. Kennard has been one of the
most attractive of the debutantes in
Lowell. She is a young woman of
striking appearance and has been a
devotee of out-of-door pastimes. She
was one of the two young ladies
snapped by The Sun photographer
while selling Red Cross tags in front
of the Sun building two weeks ago.
She was one of "the most enthusiastic
workers in that very successful move-
ment for the wounded in the present
European war."

Mr. Kennard is employed by his un-
cle, Mr. Arthur W. Kennard.

BLOODSHED AT CITY HALL

EXCITING AFFRAY IN WHICH A
WOMAN IS SAID TO HAVE WOUNDED
AN OFFICIAL

All was quiet at city hall today and
somebody remarked that it was the
calm after the storm of Thursday,
when the "Hoop" police were
heard issuing from an office on the
second floor.

The cries that threw the occupants
of that floor into a panic were heard
about 2 o'clock and in the midst of
it all a man was seen to run down
the stairs. There was blood flowing from a
wound in his face. Then it was said
the stabbing had occurred in which the
assailant was a woman employed in
the building.

The injured man is said to have gone
to the dispensary located in the base-
ment to have his wounds dressed. The
story had it that he had been stabbed
with a pair of shears, but this he de-
nied. He said that he had cut his face
while shaving, but the story of the
stabbing will not down at city hall.

FIREMEN'S BALL

The local fire department is arrang-
ing to hold an annual ball. The affair
is planned on a large scale for Thurs-
day evening at the State auditorium in
Westford street and invitations will be
sent out to public officials, officers of
the state militia, fire chiefs from all
over the state, and others. The
Sixth regiment band will furnish the
music and the army will be elabor-
ately decorated for the occasion. The
committee who will have charge of
arrangements is made up of Thomas
Saunders, president; Arthur Strout,
vice-president and treasurer; Edward
Foster, Capt. Joseph D'Amour, James
Lantern, William Lane, Patrick Mon-
ey, Charles Crowley, Roger Hayes, J.
J. Murphy, Capt. Herbert Merrill and
G. H. McDermott.

TRADE ENVOYS IN BOSTON

Attaches Tell About So. America in Conference—N. E. Business Men Question Federal Agents

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Three United States commercial attaches, of the staff which Sec. of Commerce Redfield is sending to South America to foster and promote trade with that country, conferred at the chamber of commerce yesterday with representatives of some of New England's industries.

Dr. Albert Hale, accredited to Buenos Aires; A. L. Harrington, at Lima, Peru; and Vernon L. Havens, at Santiago, Chile, were the attaches present. F. L. Roberts, newly appointed commercial agent in charge of the Boston branch office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, presided.

Cordage, wireless and electrical outfits, trunks, shoes and leather, shoe machinery, woolen and worsted goods, bottles and coal, were industries represented. It was brought out that the commercial attaché will occupy the void between the diplomatic representative and the consular agent in foreign fields, largely aiding the latter, but his rating is nearer that of the diplomat.

While he will not devote any time to complaints from any one manufacturer or exporter or supply them with orders, he will cover his territory and report to Washington on the general trade situation, giving advice on tariff, credit systems and similar matters, and supplying advice as to how United States merchants can best stimulate trade.

Dr. Hale said Sec. Redfield talked with the commercial attaches last Monday and told them they were to act largely on their own initiative, but in every good sense of the word, Yankies.

Thomas F. Anderson, secretary of the New England Shoe and Leather association, said he was making up a list of matters which the commercial attaches could study in their own fields. He said his association takes a keen interest in the whole question of South American trade and will be glad to cooperate with the attaches.

There are now 16 lines of New England footwear selling in South America, he said, and he believed the shoe business there was bound to increase.

Americans Needed on the Spot

John N. Cole of the Boston Industrial board sought to learn how a number of manufacturers could combine in establishing a branch in South America, and in what way the com-

mercial attaches could help. He was told that any serious request of this nature should be through the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce.

Mr. Cole also asked whether it was preferable to send American representatives to engage natives. He was told that both should be used, the native to help the American manager.

Attache Harrington declared that the best way is to have an American representative on the spot. Such big interests as the oil, tobacco and sewing machine corporations have regular offices with American staffs in every corner of the globe.

Attache Havens said too much stress has been laid by United States business men on payment in gold for their merchandise sent to South America.

"South America," he observed, "does not produce gold, but it does produce other minerals, agricultural products, hides, cocoa, coffee, etc. At present the credit establishment is in London, but we must try to establish credits in this country."

"We should look to the people in South America for payment in their own products. If you went down there now and demanded payment in gold your efforts would be largely lost."

Language Questions

S. J. Steinfeltz thought it ought to be more generally known that Portuguese is the language spoken in Brazil, Spanish on the west coast and other countries. The decimal and metric systems are largely in vogue.

Attache Harrington wanted to know what the difficulty was with glass bottles. Manufacturers in the South American field, Joseph C. Shumaker, representing that industry, said the South American trade had been tried for a long time, and always they were poorly packed; while the German bottles were inferior in quality they were well packed and they "got there." Now that automatic machinery for making bottles has been perfected, he thought there was an opening for Americans.

Attache Havens said the South American business man is usually well educated and American representatives sent there should make a good impression. Attache Harrington added that South America is also feeling the effects of the war and anyone expecting to go down there and establish a booming trade at once is apt to get disappointed.

"It is," he continued, "the psychological moment to make your connections and make friends with your future patrons. It is a long process, but people down there have plenty of time to talk business."

New England Exposition

Mr. Anderson suggested that the attaches investigate the possibility of the Boston chamber of commerce maintaining a New England exposition in such cities as Rio Janeiro, Buenos Aires and Santiago. He had urged this before, he said, but would like the ideas of the government agents after they reached their posts.

William S. McNary said there were two vital points in South American trade: the United States banks must cooperate, and there must be direct steamship connections between the United States and South America. If necessary, he thought the government should buy and operate steamship lines.

Commercial Agent Roberts called attention to the facilities of his office in the Oliver building, where there is a mass of information and data of genuine value to manufacturers and exporters.

THE BOHEMIANS' DANCE

ATTRACTED LARGE GATHERING LAST EVENING DESPITE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER

Associate hall was last night the scene of a pretty dancing party, the occasion being the seventh annual of the Bohemians, one of Lowell's many popular young men's organizations.

There was a large attendance and all danced merrily to music furnished by Miller's orchestra.

The following officers had charge of the affair:

General manager, John Minahan; assistant general manager, Thomas Weston; door director, Thomas Bean; assistant door director, James Hesling; chief host, Harry Hesling; Richard Bonnell; secretary, Jerry A. Minahan; Stephen Shively; James Morris; John J. Quean; Frank McNabb; Edward Egan; Matthew Moulton; William Ayotte; Frank White; Edward Scott; James Brown; Daniel Cullahan; Frank Jones; William Burke; William Chapman; Walter Chapman; treasurer, Joseph Whiteley; secretary, Jerry Minahan.

REFUGEES FLOOD DOVER

Many Leave Belgium in Small Boats—Antwerp Citizens Refuse to Return

THIRTEEN GERMAN GO

DOVER, Va. London, Oct. 17.—Three thousand refugees from Ostend are still either on the quay here or in vessels that have not yet been able to dock.

Large numbers of others which already have departed declare they saw hundreds leaving Ostend in small row-boats, hoping to reach some point on the French coast. Hundreds of others boarded travelers and sailboats, which are still struggling into Dover. Their presence often have been without food for 48 hours. Many small boats from Belgium also are putting into Lowestoft and Folkestone.

There are many Antwerp refugees. When some of these were asked if they would be willing to return in case arrangements can be completed with the German government, they declared emphatically that they never would return to being as the Germans were in possession.

It is estimated that 35,000 refugees have landed here and at Folkestone since Wednesday.

Mr. Aubrey of 15 Mt. Vernon street will leave tomorrow night on a 10 day trip to Montreal and Quebec.

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Is Charged With Post-office Break at Charlton Depot

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—After remaining in jail all summer, while the federal authorities vainly sought to learn something about him, a 17-year-old boy yesterday staidly received in United States district court a sentence of a year and a day in jail at Plymouth rather than tell his name.

Under the name of John Hutchinson, which he admits is assumed, he was sentenced for breaking and entering the postoffice at Charlton Depot.

Judge Norton was deeply dispirited at the attitude of the boy, and tried to find out something about him with a view to allowing him to go home if he had a suitable home rather than send him to prison.

Two other boys charged with the same offense were placed under the care of the probation officers of Suffolk county in June and permitted to go home, while Hutchinson stubbornly refused to disclose his identity or to evince any contrition for his wrongdoing.

The stranger was unknown to the other boys, who met him stealing a ride on a freight train. He was arrested in Schenectady, N. Y.

The boy was in court in June and the judge talked to him. He went to jail until an investigation could be made. For weeks efforts were made to find out something about him, but all in vain.

Within a week he still refused to tell his name to Probation Officer Barker of the municipal court.

"I want to go to Atlanta," is a remark he made to one of the officers who tried to question him.

"I am sorry to have to send you to prison," said Judge Norton in a kind way to the youth yesterday, "but you have forced me to do it. I wanted to help you. You are too young to go to prison and I don't want to send you there. I was willing to meet you more than half way, but you refused to aid yourself. If you think you can defy the law you are mistaken."

A sarcastic grin for a moment gave an intimation of the lack of impression made on the young offender by the remarks of the judge, which were uttered in the friendliest spirit.

The boy's language to court officers outside the courtroom is said to have been indicative of a rough type.

TYLER BUYS FARM

Boston Pitcher Will Live on Dunstable Road, Near Dracut

George Tyler, formerly a pitcher on the Lowell New England league baseball team, and one of the victorious Boston Braves, went to Nashua, N. H., yesterday and with his world's series money and some more purchased the Roby farm of 400 acres. The farm is located on the old Dunstable road, about 10 miles from this city.

Tyler, who was reared on a farm in Derry, N. H., has been looking for a home for several weeks and recently stated that he would buy a farm at the end of the baseball season. Yesterday he and Thomas P. O'Connell of this city visited the property and the final papers were signed.

"I intend to move at once," he declared, "and will make the farm my home. I shall buy some stock this winter and go in for stock farming, but incidentally may produce milk and cream. I bought the farm from Cushman Brothers of Marlboro, Mass."

It is believed that the brave pitcher married Miss Lillian McCarthy of this city over a year ago.

HOMES FELT NEAR

German Aeroplane's Parting Salute to Red Cross Steamer Hearing 600 Wounded

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The directors of the Belgian Red Cross arrived in London yesterday with 600 wounded soldiers, the last of 13,000 who have been brought to England. As the Red Cross glaucous left Ostend a Taute aeroplane dropped two bombs which fell in the water a few yards from the vessel.

OLDING A BENEVOLENT

Athletes' Left Elderly Weils Miss Minna A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—Reuben N. Olding, left leader of the Philadelphia Athletics, and Miss Hannah A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., were married by a magistrate here yesterday. Olding is under bail on charges of desertion and non-support preferred by a Wilkesbarre, Pa., woman shortly before the opening of the world's series games. He divorced a prior marriage to the Illinois clerk yesterday.

Miss Thomas said she was married before, but had been divorced in 1905 on the grounds of desertion.

"I was never married to the woman who brings this charge against me," declared Olding before the ceremony. "She is simply after my world series money."

"This trouble put me off my game in the big series. What chance had I to play decent ball when everyone in Boston was yelling that I had deserted my wife? I know I didn't play as I should and I attribute it to this trouble."

"If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun 'Want' column."

THE RESERVE LIST

Lowell Club Will be in Pennant Hunt Next Year—Twelve on List

The Lowell baseball club will start out next spring with a likely looking squad of reservists. In fact, practically as good as any in the league. Secretary Farrell of the national commission has issued the reserve list of the New England league clubs. In addition to the players mentioned in this list Manager Gray still has a string upon the services of Jimmy Ring provided that James does not make good with the Yankees. The list is as follows:

Lowell: Howard Fahy, Frank Swayne, Mat Zetser, Earl Stimpson, Pete Wachs, Maurice Des, James Greenhalgh, Norman Weaver, C. O. Lohman, John Rosky, (suspended), Samuel Shenk, (suspended), Roy Smith, (suspended), J. Harter, (suspended).

Worcester: William Ross, James Conney, Thomas Young, John Strands, Ben Stewart, Fred Rawley, Earle Potteiger, Ben Van Dyke, Robert Johnson, John Bushelman, Willie M. Carroll, Hugh McGuire, Charles Shorten, Reggy Rawlings, (suspended), Howard Miller, (suspended), Dave Kevors, (suspended), Irwin Holme, (suspended).

Lewiston: Arthur McGovern, Joseph Casey, William Garlow, John Radloff, James Gorman, Frank Brignolla, Joseph Judge, William Phoenix, Michael Thomas, Wm. Mundy, Timothy Shea, Patrick Maloney, Paul Howard, Fred Bailey, Ralph Masterson.

Portland: Joseph Burns, Ben Bowcock, Pete Clements, John Dowell, Charles Hayden, Chas. Hickman, Clifford Jewell, Walter Lonergan, F. Mayberry, Henry Merrill, Charles McCarthy, Harry Moran, Oscar Tuero, A. Watkins, H. H. Williams, Gilbert Whitehouse, Thos. J. Clark.

Manchester: Chester Swett, Joseph Kitchener, Walter Torphy, Joseph Kane, Charles Reed, George Spira, Henry King, William Collins, Joseph Seamon, Fred Osterger, Jas. Konekay, Chas. Teed.

Haverhill: C. Wilson, M. Joyce, Mike Gaston, W. Smith, J. Reider, F. Oldo, W. Fullerton, R. Campbell, G. Yelle, J. Peplotski, Larry Conley, P. Duggan.

QUEEN OF BELGIUM

Elizabeth of Belgium With the King—35,000 Refugees in England

HAVRE, via Paris, Oct. 17.—Queen Elizabeth of the Belgians is with her husband at the headquarters of the Belgian army, and is his constant companion, except when King Albert approaches the firing line to encourage and direct his troops.

M. Huismans, Belgian minister of

state, in announcing the above fact yesterday, added that King Albert was showing great stoicism and that Queen Elizabeth was sharing his perils and giving an example of dignity and courage worthy of classic times.

This usually sombre port is now brilliant with French, Belgian and British uniforms. The streets are crowded with horse-drawn equipages and automobiles. The members of the diplomatic corps are lodged in one of the hotels of the city.

DEDICATE BAND STAND

Fifty Picked Musicians Will Render Fine Program on the South Common Tomorrow Afternoon

The new band stand on the South common will be dedicated tomorrow, Sunday, at 2:30 p. m., weather permitting. The dedication is in the hands of the Lowell Musicians' association, Local 52, A. P. of M. An affiliated band of 50 picked musicians, all members of the association, will render the following program:

Directed by R. A. Griffiths, president of the association.

Concert Waltz, Adele, Jean Briquet, Director, Emilie J. Borjes.

Overture, Poet and Peasant, Suppe.

Director, John B. Fairbrother.

Cornet solo, Selected.

R. F. Taber.

Selection, Past and Present, Ground.

Director, John J. Giblin.

Intermezzo, Hearts and Flowers.

Tobani.

Director, Edward Mores.

Selection, Echoes from the Metropolitan Opera House, Tobani.

Director, Percy J. Burleigh.

Popular Medley, Haviland Hills.

Director, R. F. Taber.

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SOME BUSINESS CHANGES

TWO LOCAL FRUIT STORES TO CHANGE LOCATIONS FIRST OF NEXT YEAR.

Several changes will take effect in the business section of this city about the first of next year, according to statements made today. The Houps Brothers, proprietors of a confectionery and cigar store, at 8 Bridge street have leased the store now occupied by Alex. Jacobovitch & Co. at 249 Central street from the estate of Freeman B. Shedd and will open a new store on about January 1. The Bridge street store will also be conducted by the same concern, one of the brothers managing each store.

In order to continue in business near his present stand, Alex. Jacobovitch has leased the store at the corner of Jackson and Central streets, now occupied by Frank Rodale as a drug store. He will remodel the interior before occupying it.

Several changes will be made in the Shedd property now occupied by Mr. Jacobovitch. It is the Houps brothers plan to enlarge the store and install a modern soda fountain and convert the rear part of the store into an ice cream parlor.

LONG NEEDED RAIN ARRIVES
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—The long-needed rain throughout the country has arrived, bringing the drought that had dried up farm lands and lowered reservoirs to a great extent.

Reports to the agricultural department have indicated that the drought was seriously delaying fall planting.

SCHOOL SUPERINTENDENTS MEET
WORCESTER, Oct. 16.—The Massachusetts state association of school superintendents had its fall meeting here today and discussed state certification of teachers but passed no final vote on the question. The plan was endorsed by some speakers and criticized by others. The speakers on the program were Dr. David Shedd, state commissioner of education; Clarence A. Broderick of Westfield normal school; Superintendent George L. Farley of Brockton; Superintendent Homer P. Lewis of Worcester; C. D. Kingsley of the state board of education; C. W. Wells of Springfield; C. S. Peterson of North Andover; John C. Davis of Canton; F. W. Kingman of Walpole; and William F. Sims of Saugus.

REGRET BOMB OUTRAGES
ROME, Oct. 16.—The Vatican authorities expressed surprise and regret at the bomb outrages perpetrated on St. Patrick's cathedral and the rectory of St. Alphonsus church, New York, Pope Benedict has asked Cardinal Pietroni, the new papal secretary of state, to keep him advised as to developments in the case.

UNIFORM STATE LAWS
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Discussion of the draft of uniform state incorporation act submitted by a committee was resumed today by the delegates to the conference of commissioners on uniform state laws in session here.

CAME DIRECT FROM BRUSSELS
NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—Mrs. Molly Whitlock, mother of Brand Whitlock, United States minister to Belgium, reached New York today aboard the steamer Baltic. Mrs. Whitlock was accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Brainerd. They came direct from Brussels and declined to discuss the situation there in view of Mr. Whitlock's official position.

UP TO STANDARD

Never was rain more welcome than the rain of today and the farmers and hunters are especially jubilant; the farmers because the rain, if we get enough of it, will revive the pasture lands and all the wells and springs, and the hunters because they will be able to get after the upland game for they allow that the power will give them the word to go just as soon as there is rain enough to guard against forest fires.

The farmer has not been making much on his milk of late and some of them have had a hard time to keep it up to standard. Milk Inspector Master and his assistant, John J. Coughlin, are on the job every minute and the milkman who has milk in his possession that is not up to standard is taking a great big risk.

This has been a pretty tough fall for the farmer, so far as milk is concerned, said Mr. Master, this morning, and they certainly will be glad to see the rain falling. It is the fact that the pasture lands had for the first time in the fall been kept from being too dry and the milkman has been able to keep up to the standard.

"Because of the fact that the pastures dried up for want of rain it has been necessary for the farmers to feed a great deal of grain and when they have to use an extra supply of grain they are not getting rich on milk sales. A great many wells have gone dry and I know of quite a number of farmers who have to haul water for their cows to drink. I was talking with one of the Bryant Bros. of Braintree this morning and he told me that there is absolutely no pasture grazing at the present time. The Bryant Bros. have not suffered for water because of the fact that they installed an auxiliary well some time ago. It is bored 60 feet and yields a good supply. They had two wells on their farm but they found that a third one was necessary. The Bryant Bros. were among the prize winners in the recent clean milk contest."

YACHT MOVEMENT STOPPED
ON BOARD U.S.S. WEST VIRGINIA
Santa Rosalia, Mex., Oct. 15, via wireless to San Diego, Calif., Oct. 16.—The projected conquest of Lower California by Yagui Indians, allied with General Villa's revolution will be abandoned and all but a policing force of 40 men will return to Guaymas, according to assurances given to Rear Admiral Hiram Bland and his staff, the West Virginia, here today by the chief of all the Yaguis. He promised that his expeditionary force would be embarked for the opposite shore of the Gulf of California tomorrow.

The Yagui movement against La Paz also has been abandoned. Admiral Howard was told.

FIRE ON SCHOONER
PORTSMOUTH, N. H., Oct. 16.—A cargo of lime in the hold of the schooner Ann C. Stuart, bound from Rockland, Me., for Boston, caught fire today. The crew of the Stuart, which is anchored off Peppercorn's cove in Portsmouth harbor have moved their belongings from the cabin onto the deck and are trying to smother the fire. It is said that it may require days or weeks to accomplish this. The Ann C. Stuart was built in Ellsworth in 1903 and is registered there. She is 47 tons net.

If you want help at home or in your business, try The Sun "Want" column.

REV. FR. SHERMAN HURT

SON OF GEN. WM. TECUMSEH SHERMAN INJURED — HORSE SLIPPED ON WET PAVEMENT

SCHANTON, Pa., Oct. 16.—The Rev. Thomas Sherman, S. J., a chaplain in the United States army and a son of General William Tecumseh Sherman, was badly injured today when a horse he was riding slipped on a wet pavement. The horse reared on him and he was removed to a hospital in a serious condition.

Dr. Sherman was stationed at the artillery camp at Tobyhanna near here for the past three months.

ECONOMY IS NECESSARY

MANILA, Oct. 16.—Francis Burton Harrison, the governor general, opened the session of the Philippine legislature today with a speech in which he referred to the trade disturbance because of the great war and said that the situation required continued economy. He urged that new sources of taxation be found for the relief of the government.

Philippine taxation, he said, was now low so that the government could fairly impose an additional levy without injustice and with the assurance that it would prove a benefit.

Mr. Harrison also advised legislation of a helpful nature to agriculture, so that rice cultivation could be increased and asked for laws against usury, to promote rural credit and to help co-operative societies.

MURDERER IS INSANE

CHARLES WESTON FOUND GUILTY OF MURDER OF WIFE AND DECLARED TO BE INSANE

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Charles H. Weston, formerly of Salem, Mass., was today in the Old Bailey found guilty of the murder of his wife and at the same time was declared to be insane. The presiding judge ordered that he be committed to an asylum.

Weston's wife was found Sept. 25 in her home at Richmond, a suburb of London, with her throat cut. She died while being taken to a hospital. The police declared she stated before her death that her husband had been indicted by her husband.

The Westons were popular in the American colony of London and were thought to be living happily there. After the tragedy Weston's friends said they thought he was out of his mind.

BATTLESHIP IN DRY DOCK
SEATTLE, Wash., Oct. 16.—The famous old battleship Oregon, which will lead the naval parade through the Panama canal next spring, went into dry dock at Puget sound today for final repairs before going into commission Dec. 1.

RAILROAD INQUIRY
WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Inquiry into the financial operations of the Chicago, Rock Island & Pacific railroad was begun by the Interstate commerce commission at a public hearing today.

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High School Football
LOWELL vs. NASHUA
SPAULDING PARK
Sat., Oct. 17, 2:30 P. M. 25c

350 More Suits Arrived Today

(FOR TODAY'S SELLING

Every style, color and material has found favor. When you see these suits you will not wonder why all well dressed women are coming here.

THOSE DASHING SUITS AND SNAPPY COATS ARE SELLING FAST

SUITS AT \$15.00

CANNOT BE DUPLICATED

In fine high grade poplin, guaranteed lining, serges and chevots in the lot. If you want to pay \$19.75, we can show you 20 models in \$25 suits.

Costumes and Dresses

75 Chiffon Costumes and Evening Dresses. Today..... \$10

Smart Serge and Satin Combination Dresses

\$5.98, \$8.98, \$10.98

They are Smart and Attractive.

SILK PETTICOATS

To match the Suits

\$1.98 and \$2.98

Messaline and jersey top. The prices we quote are \$1.00 off.

CHERRY & WEBB
NEW YORK
CLOAK STORE
12-18 John Street

SEE OUR SPECIAL JUNIOR SUITS IN FINE BROADCLOTH, NAVY, GREEN AND BROWN..... \$12.75

We have the largest Children's Department in Lowell. Special offerings in—

COATS At..... \$1.98, \$2.98 and \$3.98

DRESSES At..... 59c, 98c, \$1.49 and \$1.98

100 Styles at prices that are leaders for style and quality.



RAINCOATS

50 Guaranteed Raincoats, selling to \$7.50, \$5.00 at.....

Children's Raincoats..... \$1.98

From Yesterday's Late Editions

LOCAL GREEKS PROSPER NO. BILLERICA ROBBERY

\$250 REWARD OFFERED

Signs of Progress in Greek District

—New Buildings Being Erected

—Expect Parochial School Fund

Peter Tavoularis, president of the Greek community, informed The Sun this morning that the money voted by the Pan-Hellenic union of this country to help in the construction of the new Greek school in this city, which was expected yesterday has not yet reached Lowell and Mr. Tavoularis expects to receive a check today or tomorrow morning at the latest.

In the event of the money arriving today bids will be immediately called from local contractors and the general contract for the job of remodeling the Flunkett residence will be given out at the beginning of next week. Work will then be started as soon as possible and rushed along as far as to have the formal opening of the new school in three months.

Speaking about the Greek school it may be interesting to note how the Greek people are prospering in this country. Some fifteen years ago when these people first came to Lowell they secured employment in the cotton mills and other industries, but they soon got tired of the confined life and a large number of them went into business for themselves, some opening stores of all descriptions and others going to the farms.

A reporter of The Sun while taking a stroll through the Market street district, which is composed of Greek residents, counted the different places of business and the result of his investigation is rather astonishing. It is figured there are about 10,000 Greeks in Lowell and it is a fact that they are nearly all located in the same district, which includes Market street, Hanover street, Dunster street, Lewis street, Jefferson and Pawtucket streets and a few other side streets in that locality.

About every line of business is represented in the district and they are divided as follows: Groceries and provision stores, 35; fish, 6; drug, 2; dry goods, 2; jewelers, 3; wood dealers, 25; bakers, 7; printing establishments, 3; photographers, 3; coffee houses, 25; restaurants, 5; wine shop, 1; barbers, 15; shoemakers, 3; fruit dealers, 3; steamship agencies, 4; cigarette factories, 2 and laundry, 1.

In addition to this list of business places the colony includes also several contractors, bootmakers and other establishments too numerous to mention. It can readily be seen that the Greeks of Lowell are an enterprising class of people and if one is to judge by the many establishments their motto is "trade at home."

The colony has one of the finest churches in the city and it things go right it will soon have a parochial school. Some of the most enterpris-

ing members of the colony have started fraternal organizations among their people and these are reported as progressing. Their Greek patriotism is also shown every Sunday when the members of the Holy Regiment parade through some of the streets of Lowell on their way to a drill field in Pawtucketville, where for hours they go through military manoeuvres. This regiment has given to the cause of Greece hundreds of men, a large number of whom lost their lives on the battlefield.

The Greeks have also among their numbers three or four physicians, one of whom conducts a private clinic in Middlesex street. Last year a public free clinic was started in Dunster street and this provided care for the poorer element of the community. A large number of the Greeks have become citizens of this country and the number is gradually increasing. The old buildings in the district are being remodeled and some of the oldest shacks are being demolished that new and up-to-date structures may take their places.

FUNERALS

SHALVEY.—The funeral of Catherine Shalvey took place this morning at 9:15 o'clock from her late home, 144 Pawtucket street and was largely attended by relatives and friends. The cortege proceeded to St. Patrick's church where a high mass of requiem was sung at 9 o'clock by Rev. Joseph Curran. Among the floral tributes were: Edward Inscribed "Mother," from the family and places Mrs. Catherine Shalvey, Mrs. Margaret Riley, Mrs. A. C. Parent, Mrs. Riley and family, Mr. and Mrs. John Corbin, The heirs of Mrs. Alfred Rouloux, William Crowley, Thomas Kelley, Patrick Riley, Coraack McIntee and John Lee. Interment was in St. Patrick's cemetery. Rev. Joseph Curran read the committal prayers. Undertaker Peter H. Savane in charge of funeral arrangements.

McCLUSKEY.—The funeral of the late John McCluskey took place this morning at 9 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons and proceeded to St. Peter's church where, at 9:15 o'clock a high mass of requiem was sung by Rev. Fr. Crayton. The bearers were: Martin Crowe, Lawrence Kane, James McCaffrey and John Ball. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, where the final prayers were read by Rev. Fr. Crayton. Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons had charge.

DAIGLE.—The funeral of Lorette Daigle took place this morning from his home, 216 Cumberland road. High mass of requiem was celebrated at St. Louis church at 8:30 o'clock by Rev. J. H. Labossiere. The bearers were: Louis, Origene and Oscar Daigle, Flory Capone, Alexandre Dubois and Wilfrid L'Esperance. Among the floral offerings were tributes from: E. La-

ther the police investigate the matter the more positive they are that the work was done by a professional gang and not by amateurs as on previous occasions.

The report that two strange men were seen near the railroad tracks in East Billerica has been investigated by the Billerica police and it is not believed that these men were implicated in the robbery. Yesterday the spot where the men were seen looking over papers was visited and it was found that the documents were not the property of the post office department.

Residents of North Billerica claim to have seen two strange characters walking about the town and carried a clock Thursday morning but only a vague description of them was given the police. One man wore a black hat and a cape over his shoulders (which may have been the blankets taken from Dewitt's stable) while the other wore a slouch hat and carried a box or bag. The fact that the police were not notified of the break until nearly 8 o'clock yesterday morning makes it harder for them to trace the criminals.

Police departments in nearby cities and towns were notified of the break but as yet have not given Chief Conway any information.

Commissioner Carmichael stated this morning that the daily consumption of water in Lowell at the present time is about 7,000,000 gallons daily; 6,000,000 from the boulevard wells and 1,000,000 from the Cook wells.

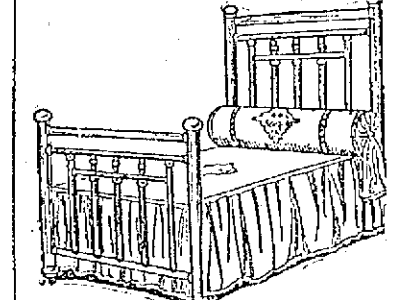
Commissioner Brown was not at his office today and it was stated that he had gone away for a week.

John W. Kernan, superintendent of parks, has ordered 435 shrubs for Co-burn and Fort Hill parks.

MISS BAILEY ACTING PRINCIPAL
Miss Ruth E. Bailey is acting principal at the Green school. It was stated today that the school board would probably elect a successor to the late principal, Mr. A. L. Bacheller, at its next meeting. Miss Bailey has been acting principal since the school opened for the fall term. Members of the school board were asked today if there were many candidates for the principalship of the Green school and they replied that they had not heard of any as yet.

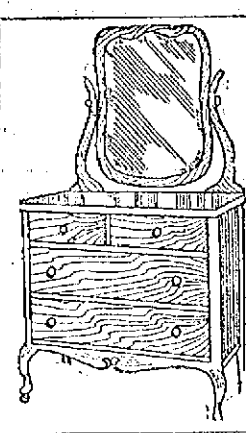
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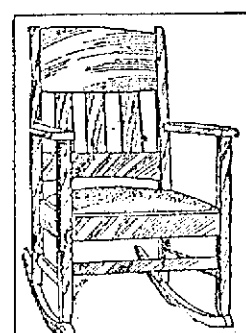
BRASS BED

2 1-2 in. posts with a 2 in. top rod. All other fillings are 1 1-2 in. Guaranteed lacquer. Regular price \$30. SPECIAL..... \$21.90



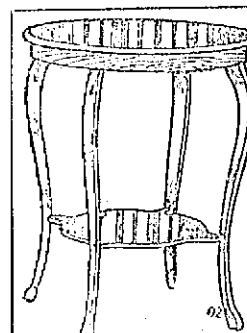
Dressers

Made of Solid Oak; divided top drawer; large 20x24 inch French bevel plate mirror; double top. Regular price \$12. SPECIAL \$7.85



MISSION ROCKER

Fumed Oak finish; spring seat, covered with best grade imitation leather. Chairs to match. Regular price \$5.75. SPECIAL..... \$4.25



PARLOR TABLE

Imitation Mahogany, round top; shaped leg; fine polish finish. Regular price \$5. SPECIAL..... \$3.35

GOOKIN FURNITURE CO. PRESCOTT STREET

PROGRESS OF ALLIES HAS BEEN CONFIRMED

Says French War Office—London Admits Victory for the German Naval Forces—Germans Move on Ostend—Allies Capture Hannescamps, Near Albert

German naval forces have scored again. The British admiralty announces that the cruiser Hawke was sent to the bottom of the North sea by a German submarine Thursday. The loss of life on the Hawke is not made known but the warship belonged to a class of vessels that ordinarily carry about 500 officers and men. Only 50 of her crew are known to have been saved. A sister ship, the cruiser Thesus also was attacked by a submarine but escaped.

The French war office announced this afternoon that the progress of the allies indicated in Thursday's communication had been confirmed. The field of action on the left wing of the allies extends from the region of Ypres to the sea.

There was no official word from Berlin up to early afternoon but news despatches report that the Germans marching on Ostend are within ten miles of their objective, having occupied Blankenberg, a town on the Belgian coast connected by rail with Ostend.

The belief grows in London that Ostend will not be occupied by the Germans without a fight. It is reported that British warships will take part in the defense of the town.

The French embassy at Washington has received advice saying that the allies have captured Hannescamps, a town about 10 miles north of Albert. There is no other news regarding the fighting on the northern end of the battle line in France. Both armies, however, are known to have been reinforced and to be contesting every foot of ground where they come in contact.

The Paris statement says that Russian troops have repulsed German attacks on Warsaw and Ivanogorod in Russian Poland and that a battle is being fought south of Irenyml.

Tokio announces that on Oct. 14 Japanese and British warships bombarded two forts at Tsing Tau.

Prince William of Wied, who recently indicated the threat of Albanian troops to have joined the German army and proceeded to the French frontier.

The Canadian troops which recently arrived in England were assembling today on Salisbury plains.

Fresh meat will be admitted to France free of duties, until further notice.

MRS. RAY'S LOW COST MENUS

Housekeepers are Advised to Cut These Menus Out for Use During the Coming Week.

SUNDAY
Breakfast
Baked Tripe
Creamed Potatoes
Rice Muffins
Coffee

Dinner
Fried Chicken
Creamy Gravy
Bean Fritters
Pineapple and Cherry Salad
Cafe Parfait

Supper
Sardine Salad
Cakes
Hot Chocolate with Whipped Cream

Breakfast
RICE MUFFINS—Mix one cup of milk with one cup of flour, one egg, one cup of baked rice, two teaspoons of baking powder, the same of butter, and a little salt. Bake in a hot oven 15 minutes.

Dinner
FRIED CHICKEN—Joint the chicken and drop each piece in boiling fat. Keep boiling until the chicken can be pierced with a fork and is a nice brown.

CREAMY GRAVY—Melt two tablespoons of butter and stir in a tablespoon of flour. Keep stirring until smooth and add a cup and a half of milk and stir until thick.

BEAN FRITTERS—Mix two cups of chopped beans with half a cup of milk, the same of flour, two eggs and a teaspoon of baking powder. Fry in boiling fat.

PINEAPPLE AND CHERRY SALAD—Mix a cup each of chopped cherries and pineapple with a teaspoon of lemon juice and a cup of chopped nuts and serve on crisp lettuce.

CAFE PARFAIT—Whip one cup of cream, add a cup of very strong coffee, a cup of powdered sugar and turn into a mould. Pack with salt and ice and let stand three hours. Un-mould and serve.

SARDINE SALAD—Drain the fish, place on lettuce and pour over a dressing made by mixing the oil in which the fish was packed with two tablespoons of tarragon vinegar and a little dry mustard.

CORN TOAST—Roll one cup of corn,

half a cup of milk, a pinch of soda, and thicken with a little dissolved flour. Have ready thin slices of buttered toast and pour over the hot corn.

MONDAY
Breakfast
Tokay Grapes
Sausages in Butter
Toast
Coffee

Luncheon
Reheated Rabbit
Soft Gingerbread
Toast
Cocoa

Dinner
Steak with Bananas
Mashed Potatoes
Celery Salad
Prune Brown Betty

Breakfast
SAUSAGES IN BUTTER—Mix four tablespoons of flour with two cups of milk, one beaten egg and a little salt. Beat one minute and add half a pound of uncooked sausages, cut in small pieces, turn into a baking dish and bake until brown in a quick oven.

Luncheon
SOFT GINGERBREAD—Mix a cup of molasses, half a cup of sugar, one and a half cups of soft milk, one egg, a heaping teaspoon of soda, a teaspoon of ginger, a heaping tablespoon of lard and two cups of flour. Bake in a moderate oven.

Dinner
STEAK WITH BANANAS—Broil the steak and place on a hot platter. While broiling the steak cut in half four bananas and lay in a pan of smoking hot butter. Fry one minute or until brown and then turn. Lay in a row on the hot steak.

CELERY SALAD—Strip enough celery to make one cup. Add a tablespoon of sweet peppers, the same of green peppers and mix with a boiled dressing.

PRUNE BROWN BETTY—Cover the bottom of a buttered baking dish to the depth of one-half an inch with stale bread crumbs; then add two layers of dried prunes which have been soaked in warm water until soft.

enough to remove the pits. Dust with pulverized cinnamon and nutmeg, cover with another layer of crumbs; then dot with butter and add one cupful of hot milk. Bake in a moderate oven for one-half an hour, or until the top is brown and crusty and the milk absorbed. Serve with hard sauce.

TUESDAY
Breakfast
Fried Eggs
Stewed Prunes
Coffee
Hot Biscuit

Luncheon
Olive Omelet
Gingerbread
Cocoa

Dinner
Boiled Mutton with India Sauce
Dried New Potatoes
Creamed Asparagus
Watercress Salad
Cocoanut Rice Mold

Breakfast
HOT BISCUITS—Mix three cups of flour, two tablespoons of lard, two teaspoons of baking powder, and about a cup and a half of milk. Turn out on a floured board, roll lightly, cut with a small cutter and brush over each with melted butter. Bake in a hot oven fifteen minutes.

Luncheon
OLIVE OMELET—Beat four eggs, add four tablespoons of boiling water, the same of chopped olives and a little salt and pepper. Melt a tablespoon of butter and, when hot, turn in the egg mixture. Fry five minutes. Fold and serve.

Dinner
BOILED MUTTON WITH SAUCE—Wash carefully, cover with water and boil until tender. Drain and serve with a sauce made by mixing two tablespoons of chili sauce, with four tablespoons of mutton fat, and a half a teaspoon of curry powder.

CREAMED ASPARAGUS—Cut into pieces an inch long. Boil, drain, cover with milk, and boil one minute, then add a little dissolved flour and four tablespoons of butter, pepper, and salt. Cook one minute.

COCOANUT RICE MOLD—Boil two cups of milk and three tablespoons of rice until tender. Add two tablespoons of sugar, a teaspoon of gelatine dissolved in half a cup of boiling milk and a quarter of a cup of grated coconut. Cool and stir in half a cup of cream beaten stiff.

WEDNESDAY
Breakfast
Stewed Figs
Dried Rice
Coffee

Luncheon
Tomato Soup
White Bread and Butter
Sour Milk Cake
Tea

Dinner
Cold Mutton
Mashed Potatoes
Fried Eggplant
Best Salad
Butterscotch Pie

Breakfast
STEWED FIGS—Cut each fig in four pieces. Add a little sugar, cover with cold water, simmer until tender and serve, either with or without cream.

Luncheon
SOUR MILK CAKE—Mix one cup of brown sugar, quarter of a cup of butter, one cup of sour milk, two cups of flour, a teaspoon and a half of soda, half a teaspoon each of cinnamon and clove, and one cup of raisins. Bake in a moderate oven.

Dinner
FRIED EGG-PLANT—Pare and cut the egg plant in strips as you would for French fried potatoes. Lay in cold water half an hour. Drain and fry in deep boiling fat.

BETTER SALAD—Cut cold boiled beets in dice and serve on lettuce with a French dressing.

BUTTERSCOTCH PIE—Brown a piece of butter and to this add a scant cup of brown sugar and four tablespoons of milk. Mix one tablespoon of flour with a little milk. Add the beaten yolk of one egg and stir into the hot butter and milk. Boil until thick. Make a rich crust. Fill with the mixture, beat up to a stiff froth the white of an egg and brown in the oven.

THURSDAY
Breakfast
Mutton Hash
Toast
Coffee

Luncheon
Tomato Timbales
Lettuce Sandwiches
Tea

Dinner
Broiled Lamb Chops
Mashed Potatoes
Butter Beans
Pepper Salad
Cherry Glace

Breakfast
MUTTON HASH—Chop mutton fine to make two cups. Chop a little fat and enough cold potatoes to make two cups. Mix together with a little milk and a tablespoon of butter. Fry until thoroughly cooked and brown. Turn and brown on the other side.

Luncheon
TOMATO TIMBALES—Boil two cups of tomatoes and half an onion five minutes; thicken with a tablespoon of dissolved flour. Cool and add three beaten eggs and all small buttered molds. Set in a pan of hot water and bake until firm like custard.

Dinner
BROILED LAMB CHOPS—Broil over a quick fire until done. Spread with melted butter to which has been added a little chopped parsley.

MASHED POTATOES—Pare and boil until tender. Drain and mash with a quarter cup of hot milk, a little butter and pepper and salt.

PEPPER SALAD—Boil three green peppers and lay for half an hour in an equal part of olive oil and vinegar. Just before serving add a tablespoon of chili sauce to the dressing.

CHERRY GLACE—Boil two cups of water and one of sugar 15 minutes; then add two tablespoons of granulated gelatine. When cool, add the juice of two lemons, the stiffly beaten white of an egg and four tablespoons of whipped cream. Put a little of this at a time into individual molds, when firm cover with sweetened, pitted cherries and another layer of gelatine mixture. Continue

until the mold is filled. Chill and serve with whipped cream.

FRIDAY
Breakfast
Baked Quinces
Broiled Herring
Fried Potatoes
Toast
Coffee

Luncheon
Salmon Croquettes
Potato Chips
Graham Bread
Cake
Cocoa

Dinner
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Oyster Soup
Fried Cod
Banana Shortcake

Breakfast
BAKED QUINCES—Cut out the blossom end of each quince, wash and take out centers. Mix together a little ginger, clove, cinnamon and sugar. Fill centers of quince, place them in a pan with a little water (the same as for apples) and bake. Serve with honey.

BOILED HERRING—Soak in lukewarm water over night. Wipe dry and broil over a hot fire. Just before serving pour over a tablespoon of melted butter.

FRIED POTATOES—Cut cold boiled potatoes in slices and fry brown in hot drippings. Add a teaspoon of chopped parsley.

Luncheon
SALMON CROQUETTES—Mix two cups of baked salmon with two teaspoons of chopped parsley. Mix a tablespoon of butter, stir in the same of flour, half a cup of milk and boil until thick. Add to the salmon and when cold, form into croquettes and fry in hot fat.

Dinner
OYSTER SOUP—Boil three cups of milk, add a pint of oysters, two tablespoons of butter and boil until the edges of the oysters curl. Season and serve.

CANDIED SWEET POTATOES—Pare, boil the potatoes, remove the skins and cut in long slices. Lay these in a

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Show Leagues Even — Braves, Giants, White Sox and Browns Victorious

The post-season clashes between the National and American League

for the inter-league championship dispelled, so far as these four series were concerned, any impression that the American league was the stronger. As to deciding the inter-league championship, if there is such a thing, the series were an even break, each league winning two. The Cardinals and Cubs lost to the Browns and White Sox respectively and the Braves and Giants won from the Athletics and New York Americans respectively. The emphatic and impressive victory of the Braves was the big coup for the National league, and that the Braves would stand as good a chance as any club in either league of finishing first in the American league is as reasonable to believe as the reverse.

Although the four series were an even break the National Leaguers won more games. The total returns were twelve games to nine in their favor. The probable truth of the matter is that, although each victor proved its superiority over its opponent for a short series and the Braves proved that they are class enough for any company, the rival organizations are evenly matched. What proof of supe-

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rior to the mold is filled. Chill and serve with whipped cream.

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Breakfast
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Broiled Herring
Fried Potatoes
Toast
Coffee

Luncheon
Salmon Croquettes
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Cake
Cocoa

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CANDIED SWEET POTATOES—Pare, boil the potatoes, remove the skins and cut in long slices. Lay these in a

buttered pan, dot with bits of butter and sprinkle with granulated sugar. Add more butter as it dries in the pan and bake the potatoes with it until they are well browned.

APPLE FRITTERS—Peel and core three sour cooking apples; cut them into slices about a quarter of an inch thick; dip each slice into frying batter so as to completely cover it with batter; drop one by one into hot fat and fry to a golden brown.

BANANA SHORTCAKE—Mix a teaspoon of lard with the same of butter, add four cups of flour, two teaspoons of baking powder, and milk to make it as thick as blintzes. Bake in a round tin. When done cut in half, spread with butter and sliced banana and pile high with whipped cream.

SATURDAY
Breakfast
Pineapple Omelet
Toast
Coffee

Luncheon
Curried Eggs with Peas
Toasted Crackers
Lemonade

Dinner
Scute of Veal
Creamed Potatoes
Fried Carrots
Cherry Salad
Lemon Pie

Breakfast
PINEAPPLE OMELET—Beat two eggs until light, then add two tablespoons of water and a tablespoon of melted butter. Turn into a hot buttered pan and cook until the omelet is firm, then add two tablespoons of grated pineapple.

Luncheon
CURRIED EGGS WITH PEAS—Boil hard as many eggs as you need, and while they are boiling make a cream sauce, adding a teaspoon of curry powder to a pint of sauce. Then slice the eggs in the middle of a platter, pour over the sauce and

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surround with canned peas heated and flavored well.

Dinner
FRIED CARROTS—Grate enough carrots to make one cup, add a beaten egg, half a cup of milk and flour enough to make a batter which will run off a spoon. To this add half a teaspoon of baking powder. Grease a frying pan and fry in small fat cakes.

LEMON PIE—Soak one cup of stale bread crumbs in a cup of milk in 30 minutes add a half cup of sugar, the yolk of three eggs, a tablespoon of butter and the juice and grated rind of one lemon. Bake with one crust about 30 minutes. Squeeze the juice of one lemon with enough confectionery sugar to make a thick paste. To this add the stiffly beaten whites and spread over the top. Bake in a hot oven.

TO MANAGE CUBS
Bresnahan to Succeed O'Day, is the Report—Johnny Evers Smiles

CHICAGO, Oct. 17—Roger Bresnahan will manage the Chicago Cubs next season. The scheme of supplanting Hank O'Day, often spoken of during the season, is going through, and the former New York Giant and ex-manager of the St. Louis Cardinals has been selected definitely for the place.

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SOME ENCOURAGING FACTS

Without in any way losing sight of the losses, actual and possible, resulting from the war, one who follows the business data as published in government reports and in trade journals must be convinced of the fact that the tide of prosperity is turning in this direction. In the aggregate, not only is the trade balance in favor of the United States but it is increasing in a proportion that engenders confidence. Total imports and exports as summed up by Assistant Secretary Peters of the department of commerce show that in the period from Oct. 5 to Oct. 13, the trade balance in our favor was \$6,568,950. Despite this uncontroverted fact, political speakers and writers still declare that the tariff turned the balance of trade against us. The department of commerce has the figures to prove that the balance of trade has been in our favor every week since the tariff bill went into effect, and from present auguries it may be predicted that business will improve from day to day.

One of the strongest factors that makes for depressed business is the natural diffidence that keeps money from general circulation. The closing of the stock markets, the shipment of gold to Europe, the predictions of hard times and the undue caution displayed by banking interests had a bad effect on business generally and the public is showing a disposition to avoid any unnecessary purchases and to eschew anything savoring of speculation. Business suffers accordingly, for in the last analysis business depends on the buying and selling that maintain the individual family.

That public diffidence is passing is the prediction of the financial interests. Savings bank deposits are increasing; one New York bank reports an increase of \$30,000 a day. Public confidence is, therefore, becoming reestablished and the conviction is growing that there is no reason for fear. The efforts of the secretary of the treasury to start money in circulation for the aid of legitimate industry have had a beneficial effect, and the predicted opening of the stock markets will restore confidence to a still greater degree.

Manufacturing in general seems to be having a boom owing to war conditions. Shipping has been restored to an almost normal basis and all the countries at war as well as the non-combatants are our customers. Large orders for blankets, duck, sweaters, saddle leather and shoes have been received. Grain and cotton shipments are resuming their usual proportions. The New England mills are unusually busy. Active interests are striving to meet the demands of South America and other neutral countries that were heretofore supplied largely by the warring nations. It must not be forgotten that our gains in this respect are counterbalanced to some degree by actual losses in the countries at war, but the trade balance before referred to indicates that so far the gains have towered above the losses. With better cooperation between the government and private business the business increase in the near future should be notable.

The principal sufferers because of the unavoidable business dullness have been the lesser business interests—the small manufacturers, the merchants. These must realize that so closely interwoven are business relationships the world over that a disturbance in England, France or Germany will have a direct influence here. They must wait as patiently as they can for the public confidence to reassert itself, as it must when it is realized that the loss of the old world must be to a large extent the gain of the new. Things are now righting themselves and those who have made the sacrifice cheerfully will be all the more rewarded. It is the duty of all to talk, act and think optimistically until the war cloud removes its shadow from this country, banished by the sun of renewed prosperity.

TAX RATE LOGIC

One does not talk long on municipal affairs with Lowell men of business at the present time without being reminded of one fact, viz: that the high tax rate is the greatest stumbling block to the present administration. With the indifference that follows a long term of municipal abuses and after having realized that the standard required by the Lowell electorate in the past was not very high, a great many of our people got into a state of disgust or passivity, paying their taxes more or less complacently and taking little interest in how such taxes were spent. These were the men who were fooled most by the present government which was long on promises and short in results. Confident and optimistic, many excellent Lowell people waited patiently for some sign of genuine economy and retrenchment. When the department appropriations were made in excess of the alleged "extravagant" regime preceding, a little doubt was born in the public mind; when all manner of petty expenditures were piled up, small individually but great collectively, the doubt grew stronger. When public employees were unduly favored, suspicion became defined. When the tax bills were sent out, the doubt blossomed into disgust and disappointment. Speak now to our local business men about the economic administration we are having and they will say "Never again" in a dozen different ways.

Lowell is waking up to the fact that municipal government is not the private business of a few men acting in private to throw dust in the eyes of the taxpayers. It is the business of everybody, calling for a great deal of action and action of the most open and honorable variety. It is a business, the neglect of which brings trouble and future expense to the entire community. The story of the local high school in particular is the story of Lowell in general. We are too apt to be led astray by slight personal and trivial things and to forget the main fact, viz: that the management of any Lowell department is a big job, calling for big men who are competent and whose competence is turned in and whose competence is turned in and whose competence is turned in.

proper return. It is when the public debt piles up while the city slides away behind that we fail to see the logic of things as they are.

TAFT SUPPORTS WILSON

If there is any American who thinks President Wilson's stand with regard to the war in Europe too idealistic or too cautious, let him reflect that such a sane and experienced individual as ex-President Taft has just come out in public approval of it. Speaking before the Providence chamber of commerce a few days ago the eminent and patriotic statesman flatly endorsed President Wilson's attitude of neutrality and urged that no public expression be made contrary to it. The country has been already and will see still more strongly as time goes on that the advice of Taft and Wilson is pretty good advice to take at critical moments. It is advice born of ability, experience in statesmanship and unquestioned Americanism.

If a strong contrast is needed to the public aspects of the two distinguished gentlemen mentioned, it is afforded by recent declarations of Dr. Charles W. Eliot and Congressman Gardner, who not only disregarded the appeals of their president, shamefully but made speeches that their respective positions make extremely dangerous. Dr. Eliot set a very bad example in declaring that America would aid one of the warring parties if necessary, and Congressman Gardner went a great deal further than was strictly needed in advocating a strong navy and other offensive and defensive preparations. The Harvard ex-president has talked himself out of most of his former usefulness and the country would be the better if he gave his tongue a long rest. As for Mr. Gardner, he needs to learn lessons of a broader nationality than he has yet revealed. As individuals we may hope and pray for British success or for German success, with all propriety as we please, but we do a dangerous thing when we speak for America at such a time as speak

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and danger as the present. Let us practice "safety first" and be strictly neutral in all our public declarations. The president of the United States alone has a right to speak for this country in such matters.

THE GALLANT FRENCH

One of the most thrilling incidents of the war was the crossing of the river Lys by 2000 French cuirassiers on Thursday. The Germans had fortified the river banks and placed machine guns at every point where a pontoon bridge could be erected. Where the river could not be bridged they neglected to take any precautions. A large body of French cavalry stole to the river bank in the darkness, swam across and then wholly unexpected they swept into the unprepared ranks of the astonished Germans and took the town of Elna. The brave achievement recalls the daring exploit of Young MacMahon, who saved a French army in Algeria by swimming a foaming river while he was yet a young man.

MR. MELLE TESTIFIES

When Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, retired from that position, he scarcely anticipated the trials and troubles that awaited him. Scarcely a week has passed since then without some variety of a railroad, state or federal investigation into the affairs of the New Haven and its connection with other railroads. The headline "Mr. Mellen Testifies" is becoming one of the stock headlines and judging by the results of all the investigations the poor man will be testifying until the trumpet of the summoning angel sounds—and perhaps after. He has now been testifying for seven days before the federal grand jury of New York. In the interests of humanity he ought to be permitted to tell the whole story to a graphophone with a reproduction attachment. The record would be a good seller and would satisfy all practical purposes—except cross-examination.

PANAMA SLIDES

A great land slide from the slopes of the Culebra cut has just stopped traffic through the Panama canal temporarily and once again the great dredges must be put in operation before business is normal. During the

construction of the canal these slides were one of the most persistent troubles encountered, and there may be many more before the menace is at last removed. Owing to the nature of the soil the excavating at the bottom has started the surface of the slopes and though many remedies have been suggested, Col. Goethals has adopted none of them. He evidently believes that the best thing to do is to permit the slides until the hills recover their stability. Consequently the canal business may be held up every little while until the immense dredges clear away the refuse that falls into the canal periodically.

England must be particularly provoked at the slow way in which a German submarine steals out every little while and sinks a British cruiser. A sea battle between the two fleets would result in victory for England without doubt but with German invention under the sea and in the air, there is danger to the proudest dreadnought.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

BOSTON THIEVES

Pocket-picking is a regular business in Boston. Professionals keep everlastingly at the game, varying their appearances in chosen territory, while the amateurs help to swell the number of victims. Things have reached that pass that police reports do not give other than a slight idea of the extent to which these thefts are carried on. In the nature of things, the pockets are after money, either as carried in the roll or placed in purses. They generally work in three, the more skillful having practiced to that extent that when once a victim is marked for despoilation, it is merely a question of a few moments when the plucking is accomplished. —Salem News.

DISEASE PREVENTION

We have got pretty well over the old notion that sickness is a providential visit and that epidemics are as inevitable as the ocean tides. We prevent malaria now by exterminating the mosquitoes. Yellow fever is vanishing in the same way; instead of weeping uselessly we drain the swamps and pour arsenic on stagnant water. Typhoid is forestalled by inoculation, like smallpox. Fresh air and nourishing food prevent over most cases of tuberculosis. Bacteria which cause the most terrible diseases are killed by the rays that carry the heat that carry the germs. —Lynn Telegram.

BASQUE PAY

Captain John Evers of the Boston Nationals cleaned up about \$40,000 as his share of the season's work. He won't be so lucky next year, for he has ambition to play professional baseball. —Portland Express.

WAR OF SURPRISES

The secret of Germany's aim to control the south coast of the English channel is now out. The Krupp gun works are now making bigger guns than the ships which they supplied the world, weapons that will hurl projectiles twenty miles, and enable them to sink the British warships in the path of the Kaiser's battle craft, which will also be equipped with bigger guns than England's. This is certainly a war of surprises, and that is often the secret of success in war. —Burlington Free Press.

FOREST FIRES

The burning over of four hundred acres of timber and woodland in the neighboring town of Merrimack, which is supposed to have been caused by a burning from the gun of a hunter in the vicinity of Fenwick pond,

Germany can reduce the British naval strength by submarine sales, she could take chances in a great sea battle.

One effect of war and high prices is to teach people the value of thrift and prudent management; the strongest persons are not those fed on the most expensive meats, and in many families enough food is wasted daily to feed a family less fortunate.

Automobilists are still talking about the holes here and there in the streets, holes that jar their autos and their feelings. The growth will continue until such holes are filled.

If the allies really wish to put the Germans to flight why do they continue to hammer their left and right wings?

Now that the series is over, what of the war?

affords an impressive object lesson in the importance of avoiding anything that may contribute to such a fire. The extremely dry condition of the woods at this time makes special caution imperative if enormous losses of property, with possible loss of human life, is to be prevented. —Manchester Leader.

BOMB THROWING

Bombs in two New York churches, not to say time bomb thrown by a military effect or cultural group, but placed secretly in the dark, in the most peaceful places in this most peaceful city, should arouse sharp suspicion of countries. Perhaps, though, we should be thankful bomb throwing is not a national policy. —Brooklyn Times.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The Lowell nest, No. 1255, Order of Owls, held a most important business meeting followed by a delightful concert and entertainment in its quarters in Elysia hall, Thursday evening. The meeting was largely attended. President J. E. MacCallum presided. There were present many visiting members from the Keene, N. H., and Nashua, N. H., units, some of whom took part in the evening's program. The usual large class of candidates was initiated, the full ritual of the order being used in the ceremony. Another class initiation is planned for the first meeting night in November as there were several candidates' names proposed and balloted for.

Supreme President J. W. Talbot in the paper read, congratulated the Lowell nest upon the fine showing made for the quarter just closed. The Lowell nest still has the largest membership of any in New England and is the supreme president's "pet nest" in the east. This distinction, the members express a hold by constant and energetic work.

The concert and entertainment given was the first of a series arranged for the coming season. The new Hampshire guests were then called upon and spoke most interestingly of the good work that is being done by the order in the Granite state. The visitors received a fine reception.

The officers of the Lowell nest who spoke words of encouragement to the members were Past President E. M. Bowers, J. Walter Bowers, Charles W. Richards, President J. E. MacCallum, Treasurer J. A. Bailey, Vice President R. J. Flynn, Thomas E. Boucher, J. J. Hartwell and others.

Order of Protection

Elgin lodge, 166, New England Order of Protection, met in regular session in Veritas hall, Branch street, Thursday evening, Oct. 15. After the regular meeting the first visiting party of a series which this lodge is holding on the third Thursday of each month, was held and the scores of the players indicated from the start there would be a contest for the prizes. After two hours' playing the prizes were awarded as follows: First ladder, Mrs. Ida Johnson; second, Mrs. Cella Meyers; and a draw declared Mrs. Meyers the winner and consolation went to Mrs. Margaret McLaren. First gentlemen: Dr. W. L. Rombough; second, Mr. Wm. O'Brien; consolation, Mr. Arthur Meyer.

The second of the series will be held Nov. 19 at the same place.

Merrimack Valley Lodge

With a large attendance of members and guests, the 23d anniversary of Merrimack Valley lodge, No. 7138, K. of C. 17, M. J. was held last evening in Grafton hall. The following program was carried out under the direction of William Edney, chairman: Piano solo, William Swift, vocal solo, Fred Mulgrave; selections, Paw-tucket Pipe and Drum corps; cornet solo, Edward Isherwood; remarks, Joseph Bronson; duet, William Preston and Robinson Whitman; songs, George Whaley, Fred Baitye, William Piggett and Frank Garlick.

Merrimack Valley lodge was instituted Oct. 29, 1892, with William H. Holgate as the first noble grand. At the present time there are about 240 members, including 12 of the original charter members.

The officers of Merrimack Valley lodge now are: William N. Axon, noble grand; David Gordon, vice grand; George W. Ingalls, P. S.; Charles W. Cullen, treasurer; Joseph Peterson, grand master; John Curran, E. S. The success of the season's last evening was due to the following committee: William N. Axon, noble grand; Joseph Peterson, M. K. Johnson, Fred Walker and John Curran.

Chester-Middlesex Lodge

A large number of members of Chester-Middlesex lodge, K. of C. 17, attended the annual red letter night of the organization held last evening in Highland hall in Branch street. The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion, the lodge colors and American flags being prevalent. Among the visitors present were: Grand Chancellor George Harrington and Grand Keeper of Seals Geo. E. Howe, Deputy Grand Chancellor Harry R. Lawrence and suite, of Lawrence. A delightful entertainment in celebration of the occasion was successfully carried out and in every respect the affair was a genuine Pythian "red letter night." Remarks were made by the grand officers and by the visiting knights. Following the entertainment of the evening the refreshment committee provided a light banquet which was enjoyed by all.


Unconquered Tribe, Red Men

Edmond Compton, George Houle, George O. Spaulding and Edmund Whittier, members of Unconquered tribe, 2d Order of Red Men, will attend the great council session of Massachusetts Red Men which will be held in Worcester, Oct. 29. On the even-

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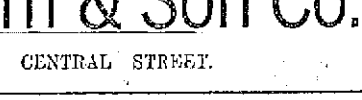
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ing of Oct. 28, in connection with the state session, a banquet will be held in honor of the grand convocation of the United States. The speakers will be Mayor George M. Wright of Worcester, Hon. Samuel E. Winslow of Worcester and Hon. James T. Rogers of Birmingham, N. Y., great junior sagamore of the United States, Great Junior Sagamore of Massachusetts Arthur W. Hall, will be toastmaster. The scheme gave a favorable report of the tribe's progress during the past three months.

Echo Lodge, 44, N. E. O. P.

The semi-monthly meeting of Echo lodge, 44, N. E. O. P., attracted a large number of members to its regular meeting rooms in Middlesex at Supreme Trustee H. M. Shaw and Justice McCarthy of the grand finance committee made their official visit. Refreshments were served by the following committee: Katherine Riley, Carrie L. Mountain, Margaret Ferrand and J. P. Warden, Catherine L. Curtin. The entertainment committee is planning a series of what tournaments for the winter months. The next meeting will be a surprise night for the members, Oct. 28.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonan have issued cards for the wedding of and reception to their daughter, Maud Ellen Bonan and Frank Henry Marra, to be held Wednesday evening, Oct. 21, at the home of Mrs. Bonan's parents, 165 Cumberland road.

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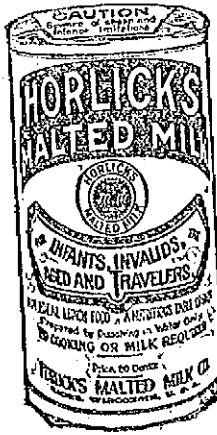
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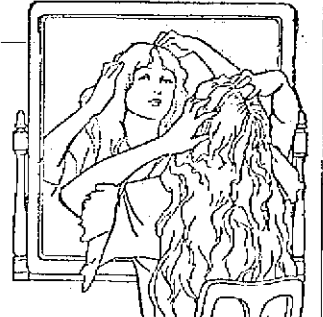
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REP. GARDNER AGAIN THE WAR REVENUE BILL PRINCETON TEAM WORKING HARD TO GET IN CONDITION FOR BIG GAMES LATER IN SEASON

URGES ADOPTION OF HIS RESOLUTION ADVOCATING PREPARATION OF U. S. FOR WAR

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Rep. Gardner of Massachusetts made a speech in the house today urging the adoption of his resolution advocating the preparedness of the United States for war, offensive or defensive.

He said the country had not awakened to the meaning of 42 centimeters guns and super-dreadnoughts and that the time had come for us to "rub our eyes and look about."

The United States was not prepared for war even by the time the Spanish war ended, Mr. Gardner declared. "I believe that things are nearly as bad today," he continued. "The naval board dined in our cars year after year the story of unpreparedness of the navy. General Wood, in report after report, tells the like story of the army and pleads with us to awaken from the awful lethargy and grapple this question on which our nation's safety depends."

"Yet, we go shambling and shuffling along, scattering away millions where the votes grow the thickest. For a dozen years I have sat here like a coward in silence and listened while men have told us how the United States can safely depend in war time on the state militia and the naval reserve. All the time I knew that it was not so. Under that delusion in ten short years we have let our navy slough off until today it is a very bad third and sinking rapidly to fourth or fifth place among the world navies."

DIVISION 1, A. O. H.

Division 1, A. O. H., held a largely attended meeting Thursday night with Pres. Martin McCarthy in the chair. A report of delegates to the county convention held recently was read and showed a decided increase being made in the membership of the divisions in the cities and towns throughout the state.

Three applications for membership were received and referred to the investigating committee. Plans were formulated for a concert to be held in the near future and it was announced that a prominent speaker will give a lecture on the occasion. The 20th Century Bachelor club, Charles D. Slattery, director, has been engaged and will contribute to the concert. Treasurer McCann and Secretary Yorville are doing good work on the dance committee. The sick committee reported that no members were on the sick list at the present time.

Brothers Charles Callahan and Martin Moran were present and participated in the discussions at the meeting.

At a late hour the meeting adjourned until Sunday when a special committee meeting will be held.

TO INCREASE TRADE

BOSTON, Oct. 15.—To obtain information which might enable the United States to increase its trade with South America three commercial attaches of the department of commerce conferred with New England business representatives at the chamber of commerce today.

These three officials, Dr. Albert Hale, Vernon Havens and A. I. Harrington, all of whom have traveled extensively in South America, imparted much valuable information as to hardware, lumber and clothing opportunities there for New England merchants.

BREAD OF WOLVES

ROME, Oct. 15.—A despatch from Cologne says: "A close watch at night is necessary at the military camps not only because of the fear of the enemy, but on account of the dread of wolves which when the first snow covered the mountain tops, began to descend and wander in rapacious bands attacking the living if they cannot find dead."

TAXES ON TOBACCO AND WINE AND TEL. AND TEL. MESSAGES ADOPTED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—Taxes on tobacco and wine and on telephone and telegraph messages as framed by the senate finance committee were adopted today by the senate as part of the war revenue bill leaving the proposed cotton relief provision as the only matter still in dispute.

The tobacco tax as incorporated in the bill would levy a graduated tax on manufacturers of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes. Under the wine sections distillers of all still wines would pay eight cents per gallon on their product and manufacturers of sweet wine would pay 65 cents a gallon on grape brandy or wine spirits used in the fortification of sweet wines.

Numerous petitions urging legislation for the relief of the cotton producers of the south were presented by southern senators, including a telegram from Sir Charles Marryat, an English cotton manufacturer who suggested co-operation between the United States and Great Britain in a movement to maintain cotton prices. After the senate had agreed to all of the committee amendments to the bill Senator Pomeroy proposed an amendment which would make permanent the 55 cents a gallon on grape brandy used in the fortification of the sweet wines.

NO SHORTAGE ON BOOKS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 15.—Auditors who have been inspecting the books of Harry Woods, secretary of state who committed suicide reported today that there was no shortage but on the contrary \$25 more in Woods' credit than the fees he had collected.

ANOTHER DUMP FIRE

The members of Hose 4 were called to the Stockpile dump yesterday, where a stubborn fire had started despite the dampness caused by today's rainfall. It was necessary for the firemen to remain at the dump for over an hour in order to extinguish the blaze.

ITALIAN MINISTER DEAD

ROME, Oct. 15.—The Italian foreign minister, Marquis Di San Giuliano, died at 2:20 this afternoon.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

England has over 19,000 nuns. London has 165 women engaged in farming.

Over 5,000 German women are married in England.

The National Woman's Relief Corps has a membership of over 10,000.

New York City has 2,164,433 workers of whom 535,153 are women.

Kansas City has 4,456 working women whose average wage is \$5 per week.

Queen Elizabeth, of Belgium, is a fully qualified doctor of medicine.

Women barbers, hairdressers and manicurists in New York City number 3,561.

Over 5,000 women are engaged in commercial pursuits in England and Wales.

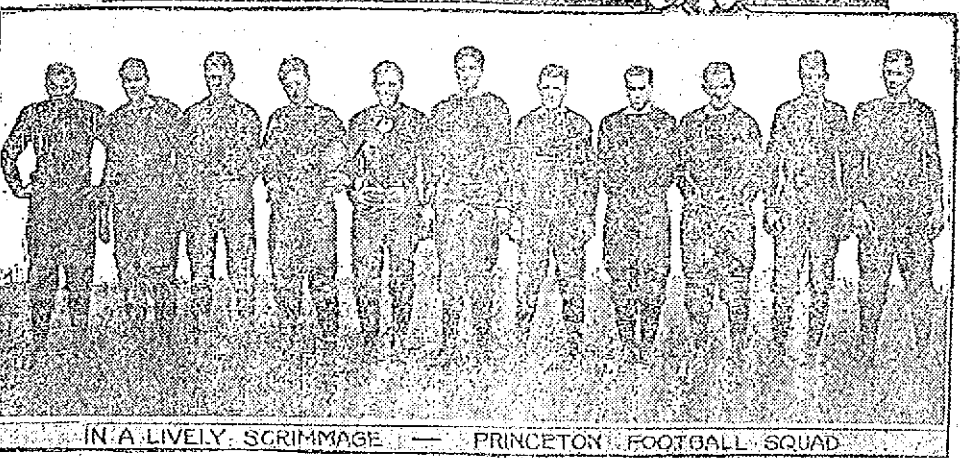
Pennsylvania has nearly 50,000 girl workers between the age of 16 and 20.

Girls in the Kansas City public schools will hereafter be taught how to launder shirts.

Mrs. Richard Derby, daughter of Colonel Roosevelt, will nurse the wounded in France.

Women and children are taking place of the men in the vineyards around Bordeaux, France.

The earthenware, china and porcelain manufacturers of England and



IN A LIVELY SCRIMMAGE — PRINCETON FOOTBALL SQUAD

PRINCETON, Oct. 16.—The Princeton football squad is working hard to perfect the forward pass, and it has resulted in touchdowns several times in stiff scrimmages against the scrub eleven. Stewart Baker, who played quarterback two years ago, is being tried again at end, the position he played last year. The quarterback station is not solved, Beland being the most promising candidate. Eberstadt is also a likely looking quarter, but he has been out of practice for a few days because of an injury. Latrobe, a sophomore who played his first game three weeks ago, is giving much promise of developing into a sturdy line man.

Wales employ 29,439 females.

More than half of the stockholders who were caught in the failure of the H. B. Claffin company were women.

The percentage of female workers in Philadelphia have increased 31 per cent. in the past ten years.

According to the census just taken in Paris the female population is 518,057 as against 555,456 men.

The women of Nagasaki, Japan, work side by side with the men coaling steamers that come into port.

Women are being put to work in coal-mines in Germany, assuring that country of plenty of coal.

Statistics show that 45 per cent of the women in Germany were sick for more than 3 days consecutively last year.

Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland, is economizing at the Dutch court, so that there will be more funds for use of the army.

Mrs. Irma E. Nixon, of Jefferson City, is one of the very few women in Missouri holding the office of Recorder of deeds.

Mme. Poincare, wife of the president of France, is working four hours a day as a nurse in the Bordeaux hospital.

Sixteen-year-old Hazel Thompson captured the prizes for baking, can-

ning and sewing at the Ohio state fair this year.

The new Colony club in New York City, one of the richest women's clubs in the world, will cost over \$500,000.

Mrs. Lawrence Marston not only writes plays for moving pictures, but acts and directs her own plays as well.

Four women are running against Rev. W. D. Matthews for the office of commissioner of charities and corrections in Oklahoma.

Mrs. Sigene Eskinan, president of the Swedish Society of Woman Suffrage, is chief cashier of the state bank of Sweden.

The Rockefeller Foundation has given \$200,000 to be used during the next 10 years for pensioning widows with dependent families.

Women are filling the positions of men employed by the Lipton company of London, who have been called to the front as soldiers.

The Philadelphia board of education will establish "Little Mother Leagues" so that girls can be taught the elements of baby care.

Mrs. Margaret Cherdron, who two years ago was the Taft elector from Utah, is a candidate for the state senate in that state.

WIDOWED BY THE WAR

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—One of the first American brides widowed by the war in Europe reached New York today aboard the Mauretania. She is Mrs. Henry Hammond Schott, formerly Miss Hazel M. Brown of Yonkers. She was married on June 16 last, her husband, Captain Schott of the British army was killed in the retreat from Mons. He was buried in England and she is returning to her parents in Yonkers.

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OSTEND HAS FALLEN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

ACCORDING TO FUGITIVES WHO HAVE ARRIVED AT THE DUTCH FRONTIER

LONDON, Oct. 16.—7:55 p. m.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says that fugitives who have arrived at the Dutch frontier declare that Ostend has fallen into the hands of the Germans.

DEATHS

BOWERS.—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Duncun V. Bowers of 415 Lawrence street will be pained to learn of the death of their son, Duncan Vincent, Jr., aged 18 years and 8 mos., which occurred yesterday. Young Mr. Bowers was very popular among all his acquaintances and his untimely death will be deeply mourned by all who knew him. Besides his parents he leaves three sisters, Mrs. John T. Plunkett and Misses M. Bertha and Arne T. Bowers, and two brothers, William F. and James G. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

CLOSE WIRELESS STATION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Rear Admiral Moore, commandant at the naval station at Honolulu, was ordered today to close the Marconi wireless station there within 24 hours unless the company gave a satisfactory explanation of the sending of a wireless despatch announcing the arrival of the German gunboat Geler.

WOMAN SHOT ON BORDER

NACU, Ariz., Oct. 15.—A Mexican woman and a child were wounded severely by bullets from the international boundary during the fighting about Naco, Sonora, today. Two shells from Governor Maytorena's guns burst on the American side but did no damage.

22 GERMANS ARRESTED

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The police have found at Willesden, a suburb to the northwest of London, a building occupied by Germans with foundations and roof of heavy concrete. They arrested 22 Germans on the premises.

ALLIES KEY AUTO HERE

CHICAGO, Oct. 15.—Contracts for the purchase of 300 motor trucks of the heavy service type were reported to have been made here today by representatives of the French and English governments.

SILLIMAN AT VERA CRUZ

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 15.—John R. Silliman, who was sent to Mexico by President Wilson to do what he could to restore harmony among the factions and aid in establishing the new provisional government arrived here today.

Mr. Silliman expects to go to Mexico City tomorrow. There he will make an effort to obtain guarantees regarding the customs collections and the disposal of funds now at the customs house. He had expected that these negotiations would be with General Carranza, but will treat with whatever authority he finds in the capital.

An exalted view of Mexico's immediate future is taken by Mr. Silliman who expressed the belief that revolutionary conditions would disappear as soon as the convention of leaders reached an agreement concerning the form of government to be adopted and the personnel.

GEN. CARRANZA'S RESIGNATION HAS NOT BEEN PRESENTED TO MEXICAN CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 15.—General Carranza's resignation has not been presented to the Mexican convention at Aguas Calientes. Today's reports to the state department reiterated that the question of his resignation would not be taken up until additional delegates from General Zapata arrived.

Official dispatches today said the temporary organization of the convention had been made permanent and that the delegates whose credentials had been approved numbered 125. All took the oath, swearing to abide by the decision of the convention which was proclaimed the sovereign power in Mexico.

It is not believed that the convention will attempt to exercise legislative or executive functions beyond designating the individual or individuals who shall discharge the executive power in succession of General Carranza. His resignation as "first chief in charge of the executive power" is expected on all sides as a matter of course because he is desirous of being a candidate in the presidential election and the Mexican constitution prohibits the executive who conducts the election from being a candidate thereafter.

Conditions on the west coast of Mexico are rapidly assuming a more peaceful aspect, and Rear Admiral Howard, reporting today from the flagship West Virginia at La Paz, predicted the speedy restoration of peace in lower California.

FULTZ RE-ELECTED BY PLAYERS

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The Baseball Players' Fraternity announced today that David L. Fultz had been re-elected president for a term of three years at the annual meeting of the board of directors yesterday.

Features of the baseball contract which are to be taken up later with the national commission, were discussed and decided on. It was said, but were not made public.

APPLE DAY, OCT. 20

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—The observance of Oct. 20 as Apple Day throughout the state is asked by the board of agriculture in a statement issued today. The board says that a campaign urging everybody to buy a barrel of apples to help the New England grower whose output has been greatly reduced by the European war, is proving effective.

NO RACING IN EUROPE

LONDON, Oct. 15.—Inasmuch as horse racing is a luxury at an end today, Harry Payne Whitney is supplying his stable back to the United States from his farm at Newmarket. The first shipment will leave tomorrow and the horses include Harlanston and the best yearlings produced since the stable was brought over here.

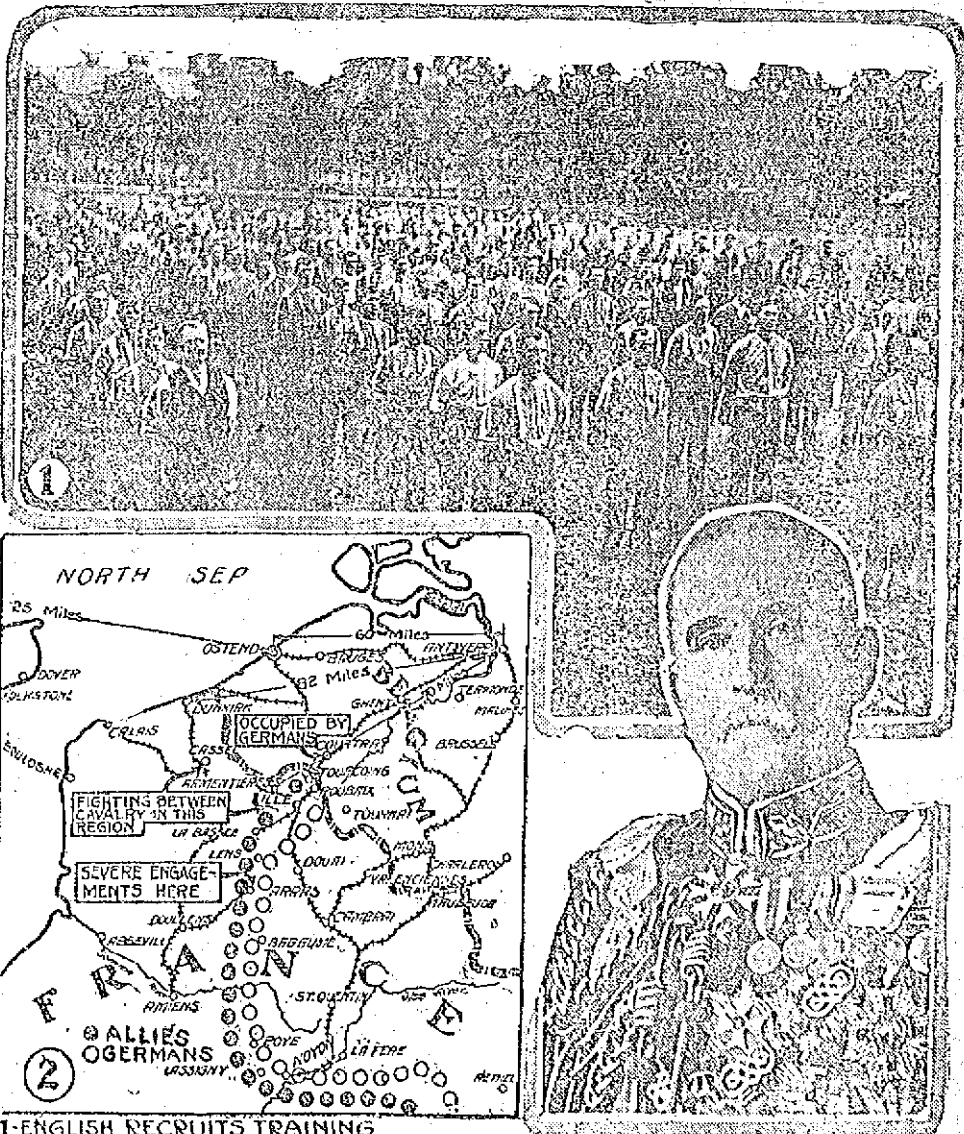
PRES. POINCARE HONORED

BORDEAUX, Oct. 15.—President Poincare has accepted an invitation extended by the students of Glasgow university to be their next lord rector. This is the first time this honor has been conferred upon a foreign statesman.

COLLIER SINKS TUG

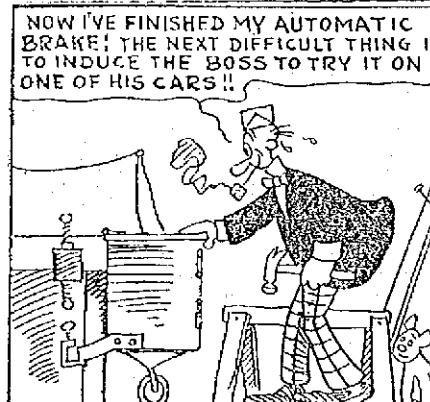
QUEBEC, Oct. 16.—The tug Muriel was sunk by the collier Bon Ventura today in the St. Lawrence river opposite Matamoras Islands, thirty miles from Quebec. The tug's second officer was drowned and her captain had not been found this afternoon.

ENGLISH REALIZE DANGER FROM GERMANS AS LATTER TAKE VITAL COAST POSITIONS

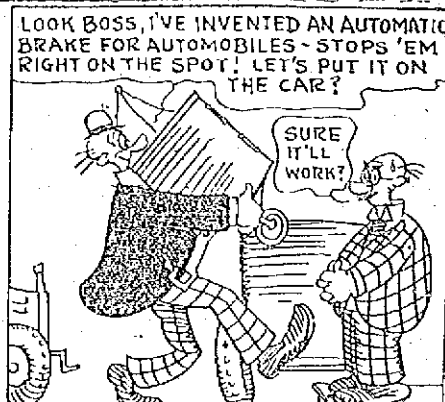


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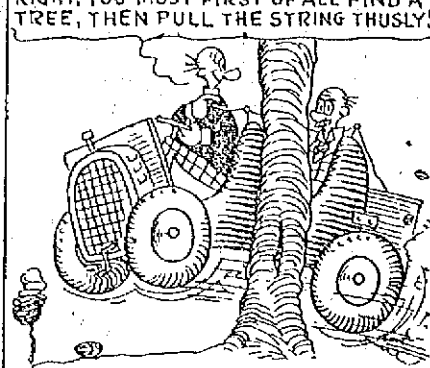
England had most to fear when the Germans pushed their way to the channel coast of Belgium after the capture of Antwerp. From public mass meetings in Great Britain it was evident that the people there felt the war was becoming more and more a fight to the death between the Germans and the English. English army officers redoubled their efforts to train their recruits. General French in the field with the allies as head of the English forces sent an urgent plea for more officers to fill his depleted ranks. Meanwhile the allies and Germans fought hard in northwestern France and along the Belgian border.



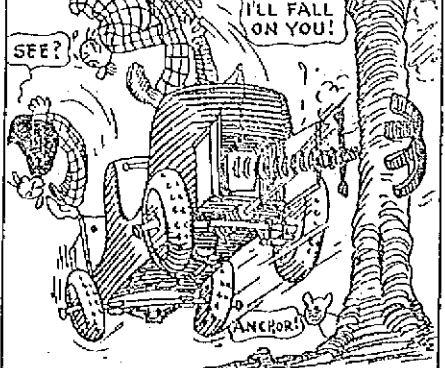
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LOOK OUT I'LL FALL ON YOU!



GEE! THAT BRAKE CERTAINLY DOES STOP THE CAR, DOESN'T IT BOSS?



THE CAR'S STOPPED - BUT WE'RE STILL GOIN'!! EXCUSE ME, I NEVER THOUGHT OF THAT!!

SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

WITH THE HOME BUILDERS

Real Estate and Building Operations in Lowell and Vicinity—Brokers View of the Outlook

Several prominent real estate brokers expressed the opinion yesterday that this past week has been one of the very best financially in the real estate business for some time. This they declared to be encouraging, although the difficulty of raising the money to buy or build is still in evidence to some extent, and this has a material effect upon the real estate business. However, the outlook is very promising, said one broker. "There are many people who want to own their own homes either by purchase or by building a new dwelling and there are many others who are desirous of increasing their real estate holdings, but the chief obstacle in their way is the tightness of money at the present time. The banks are slow to lend."

Very many people are having extensive work done on their property, the line of addition and remodeling and enlarging. There are also many new homes being constructed or about to be constructed in various parts of the city. The number of permits at city hall was large this week, and the general outlook at the present time is considered quite encouraging.

Building Two Bungalows

Mr. Charles J. Witham plans to construct two new bungalows on his property on Putnam avenue. The first is at 2 Putnam avenue. The bungalow will contain five rooms and bath and will be constructed according to the newest plans for comfort and convenience. Wood is to be the principal material used in the building, and the measurements are to be 25 by 32 feet. The second bungalow will be built on the site at 15 Putnam avenue and will be similar to that above described in practically every respect. Both are to be heated by steam.

Mr. Witham is also going to erect a dwelling house at 10 Putnam avenue. The house will contain eight rooms, pantry and bath, foundation of stone.

and will be steam heated. All three buildings will be erected at considerable cost because the best material will be used in their construction. They will constitute attractive additions to the property in that vicinity.

To Comply With Garage Law

The Sawyer Carriage company, lessees of the building in Worthen street owned by the Saco-Lowell shops, is to have the garage remodeled to comply with the new law which recently went into effect and which caused no little inconvenience to auto men in this city. Various changes are being made to conform with the state law. The interior is being fireproofed by plastering the walls with cement plaster and a new concrete floor is to be constructed. The work will be completed within a reasonably short space of time.

To Have New Garage

Dr. R. J. McCluskey is to have a new garage constructed in the rear of his residence at 245 Methuen street. The garage is to be constructed of cement blocks and will have a foundation of concrete and a roof of sheet iron, rendering the building absolutely fireproof. The measurements are 20 by 22 feet and the garage when completed will accommodate two cars.

The imposing residence of George M. Harrigan at 51 Marlborough street is to undergo extensive remodeling and will have several additions. The main feature of the changing over of this house is the building of an addition for a dining room and pantry on the first floor. The addition will have a piazza in front and rear, and a new front piazza is to be constructed upon the main portion of the present dwelling. The second story of the addition is to contain a chamber, bath and sleeping porch. Several changes are to be made on the interior, including the moving of several partitions, changing the stairways and remodeling the front stairs, construction of a vestibule and the laying of new floors. The work will be done at a cost of approximately \$5000.

Charles E. Watt will have constructed a new dwelling house of one apartment containing eight rooms, pantry and bath. The building will measure 25 by 32 feet, and will have a foundation of stone and cement and apparatus for steam heating. Wood is to be the chief material of the construction. The total cost will probably exceed \$2500. The site of this building will be Mr. Watt's property at 263 Princeton street.

A one-apartment dwelling is to be constructed by Lena E. Lunn on her lot at 452 Beacon street. The new house is to contain seven rooms, pantry, bath and a large reception hall. The foundation is to be of stone and the method of heating will be by steam. The dwelling will have one front piazza.

Mary J. Calvert is having her home at 66 Dalton street remodeled to the extent of the construction of an addition over the one-story ell of the present building. This will change the one apartment house into a house suitable for the accommodation of two families. There will be considerable work to be done on the interior and doors will be cut into the addition. It will add several new rooms to the present house.

The lot at 32 Maryland avenue is the site of another one-apartment dwelling which is to be built in the near future by Estelle Rundlett. The house, according to the plans, is to measure 25 feet by 22 feet and will contain six rooms, pantry and bath. Foundation is to be constructed of stone and the house will be heated by a furnace. A piazza is to be built on the front and on one side.

David and Margaret Jones are planning to build an addition of one story to their home at 21 Riverside street, for a new kitchen, chamber and bath.

G. P. Gately is having constructed a new house and shed in the rear of his house at 199 Forest street. It will have a brick foundation and will be of shed construction.

A new garage is to be built by Grace E. Saunders in the rear of her house at 67 South Loring street. The building will be built of wood with a concrete foundation and will measure 25 by 20 feet.

Mary Scanlon is to build an addition to her residence at 218 Adams street for new baths.

Mr. Elmer R. Bartlett, owner of the beautiful property known as "Rivermere on the Concord," reports the following sales:

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who has built Lots 111, 112 and 113 Water street to Andrew Acker, Dorchester, who will build in spring. Lots 471 and 472 Bridge road to Alice E. Hall et al. Leominster. Park avenue, lots 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486 to Henry H. Stone, Lancaster. Lots 395 to 411 inclusive to B. E. Frazer, Lowell. Woodlawn avenue lot 188 to Frank Dunn, Lowell. Lot 138 to Sarah Green, Lowell. Lots 190 to 205 inclusive to Charlie Lacombe, Lowell, who is building. Lots 206 to 216 to F. H. Porter, Lowell, who will build. Lots 217 to 225 to Lucy Ray, who has a house all built on Elmwood avenue. Lots 226 to 233 to Lucy Ray, Linden street. Lots 50 to 57 to Elmer Reid. Deeds have passed.

Thomas H. Elliott

Thomas H. Elliott, real estate broker, offices 61 Central street, corner Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week ending Friday, Oct. 16th.

The sale of a most attractive cottage property situated at 31 May street near its junction with Twelfth. The house has seven excellent rooms and bath. It occupies an unusually pleasant location affording a splendid outlook over the city and surrounding country to the west and north. There is a fine garden spot on the place devoted to shrubbery, flowers and fruit trees. The land conveyed approximately 3300 sq. feet assessed at the rate of 12c per foot. The transfer is effected on behalf of the estate of the late John L. Currier, the grantee being Mr. and Mrs. Maydon B. Russell who purchase for personal occupancy.

Contracts have been closed on the purchase and sale of a handsome suburban property situated in Chelmsford Centre. The place comprises four acres of the highest grade land laid out for the most part to orchard and garden. The house is full two and one-half story with nine excellent rooms and bath. It is heated with hot water and lighted with gas. The floors are of polished hardwood throughout. The transfer is effected on behalf of a resident owner, the purchaser being from out-of-town and buying for personal occupancy.

Sales by E. F. Shattley, Jr.
Edward F. Shattley, Jr., real estate and insurance, with office at 591 Sun building, reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16, 1914:

Contracts have been signed on the purchase and sale of a very fine parcel of investment property situated near Broadway. The property consists of a four tenement and a cottage house, each tenement having four rooms. Land to the amount of 3300 square feet of land is conveyed. The property is assessed for nearly \$5500. Names of grantor and grantee will be given later.

Sales by Harcourt Brothers
Barrows Bros., with offices at 239 Pine street, report the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16:

The sale of a fine nine room house in Westworth avenue. This house has nine large square rooms and den. There is a laundry connected with the house and also a very roomy and well appointed bathroom. The floors are all quartered oak downstairs and the living room has a very elaborate tile-brick fireplace. The cellar is cemented and the house heated by a two-pipe steam system. A large stable is conveyed with the lot, also 9000 feet of land at an assessed value of seven cents per square foot. The sale was negotiated in behalf of W. L. Smith, the grantee.

being Mr. Gustaf Johnson, an overseer of the Saco-Lowell shops, who buys for a home.

Also the sale of a single house near Moody street. This house, although a single dwelling house, is constructed so that it can be occupied by two families. It is being sold to a young man, the grantee is an out of town woman, buying for a home and investment.

Sales by E. F. Shattley, Jr.
E. Gaston Campbell, with offices at 327-328 Hildreth building, reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16:

Agreements have been signed for the purchase and sale of 15 acres of land in Dracut to parties whose names will be mentioned at a later date.

Agreements have also been signed for the purchase and sale of a seven room house, barn, shed, large number of poultry houses, fruit trees of all kinds and six acres of land. This place is situated near Mountrail Road, Dracut, and full particulars will be given upon passing of final papers.

Sales by F. D. Russell
F. D. Russell reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16:

Contracts have been signed for the purchase and sale of a double two and one-half story house with about 6000 square feet of land, situated near Fletcher street. The buildings are assessed at \$200 and the land for \$250. The purchaser buys for investment.

Agreements have been made for the purchase and sale of a nine tenement block with land thereto, situated near Broadway. The property is assessed for \$6000, and is purchased for an investment. Full particulars will be given when final papers are passed.

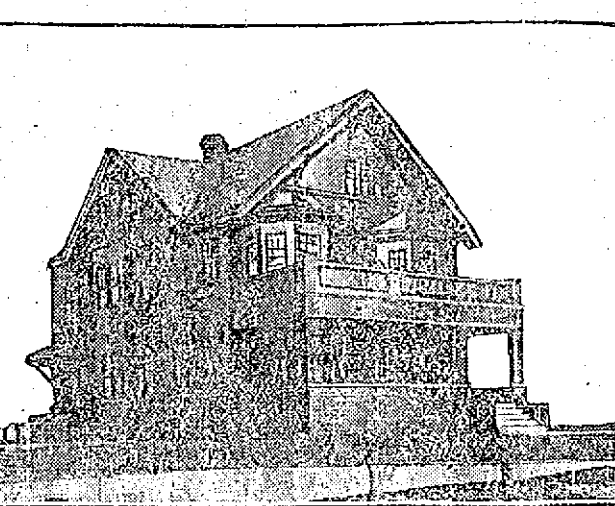
Some interesting information on the morlar making qualities of Illinois sands are contained in a bulletin issued by the University of Illinois at Urbana. The matter has been prepared by C. C. Wiley, associate in civil engineering, and in addition to a description of the various tests carried out at the engineering experiment station there is an interesting discussion together with diagrams showing sleeve analysis curves for the various samples.

PREPARING THE DANCE FLOOR
A contractor down in Kentucky had a lodge room floor to treat so that it could be used for dancing. The floor was of maple and had been cleaned with a power sandpaper machine so that it was a level, level and clean. He had thought that he would fill and give two coats of a good floor varnish, then wax and polish it, but the trustees seemed to think the varnish would not stand the wear of dancing and would mar badly. The contractor, however, thought that as long as the floor was kept well waxed the varnish would not get much wear and yet would be a good foundation for the wax. In order to decide the matter he wrote to the Painters Magazine, stating the case, and in reply the following suggestions were offered:

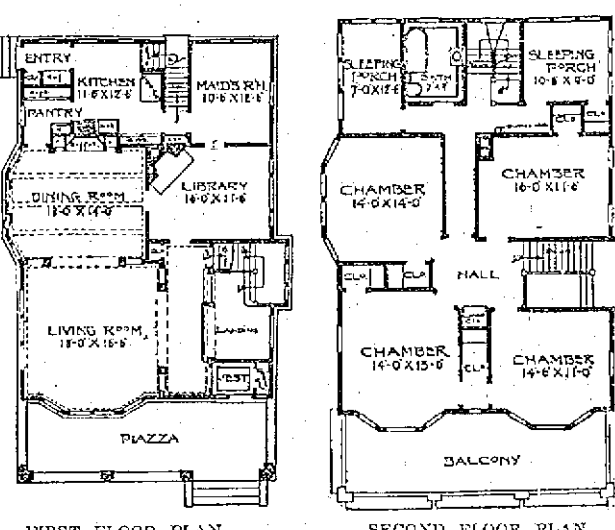
Maple floors do not require filling. When used for dancing the very best thing is to give them several coats of prepared white floor wax, using a weighted floor brush for polishing. While filling is not required, one coat of white shellac varnish will make a good ground for the wax, but the wax will itself make a good filler.

When a maple floor is to be varnished in order to keep it light, yellow three coats of white shellac varnish should be applied and if subject-

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of hard wear, as for instance dancing, a coat of special floor oil made of nine parts raw linseed oil and one part japan dryer, well rubbed in over the shellac varnish with a weighted brush will preserve the varnish and present a better finish for dancing.

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not being so slippery, but having a dull smooth surface. As the floor becomes worn it should be gone over at least every few weeks with a floor oil made up of seven parts raw linseed oil, two parts turpentine and one part of white shellac varnish. This should be applied with a brush and then rubbed in with a cloth wrapped about a weighted floor brush so that it will not remain sticky.

THIS 1913 LUMBER PRODUCTION

The production of lumber in the United States in 1913 was, according to the official figures just issued by the United States department of agriculture, about three-quarters of a billion board feet less than in 1912. Last year 21,294 mills reported a production of 33,387,000,000 board feet as against 29,558,141,000 feet reported by 29,648 mills in 1912, and 57,003,207,000 feet reported by 28,107 mills in 1911. The high-water mark in lumber production was set in 1909 when the total exceeded 44,000,000,000 feet. In 1907 and 1910 the cut was slightly over 40,000,000,000 feet. No other years have come up to the record of the last two years.

Notwithstanding curtailment in the production of yellow pine and Douglas fir, the reported cut of yellow pine was about seven-tenths of one per cent. and of Douglas fir about 71-2 per cent. greater in 1913 than in 1912. The cut of Douglas fir last year was the largest ever reported, while the cut of yellow pine was second only to that of 1909. Had not enforced curtailment in the output of these two woods been necessary the total lumber production of 1913 would undoubtedly have exceeded that of 1912. In fact, had not the cut of Douglas fir been spruce, oak and maple declined in 1913, the increased cut of yellow pine, Douglas fir, spruce and red gum in that year would have carried the total beyond that of 1912.

The reported production of 4,502,053,000 feet in Washington in 1913 was the largest ever recorded in that or any other state. The largest production previously reported by one state was that of 4,311,240,000 in 1900 by Michigan.

Valuable tables are given in the report of the department showing the number of mills and lumber production by states; also the cut of various kinds of wood. These reports were secured by the department from the bureau of crop estimates of the department of agriculture in cooperation with the forest service. The figures show that about 60 per cent. of the total lumber production in 1913 was sawed by mills cutting 10,000,000,000 feet and over annually. Some of these mills cut only one kind of wood, such as yellow pine or Douglas fir, but others cut several kinds.

BUILDING DO'S AND DON'TS

The following "Do's and Don'ts for the Home Builder" were contributed to Keith's Magazine by James Edmund Jones:

Swing bedroom doors so that when partly open they do not expose the bed to view.

Make liberal allowances for switches for electric light. Most people spend money unnecessarily for extra switches after house is finished.

Put hot water boiler elsewhere than in kitchen which is usually quite warm enough. Indeed, most builders place the door or window open and let the heat of the boiler escape. Don't place boiler in cellar as it radiates heat which may be economically used elsewhere.

Plan kitchen to face the east as light is required most in the morning. Allow plenty of window space in the kitchen.

Plan to fill see box through an opening from outside the house where there should be a tap to wash the ice and drain to carry off the water.

Supply two-inch water-main from street as smaller pipe does not give sufficient pressure. See that pipe from the street is lead or galvanized iron, as ordinary iron rusts.

Place sink where drip-boards may be built on both sides. One for dishes to be washed and the other for dishes ready for drying. Place sink where light, both natural and artificial, is good so that dishes may be thoroughly washed.

Place laundry tub at least two feet away from the wall where light is almost sure to be better. It is easier to keep floor clean and sweet and pipes are less likely to freeze. Besides the launderer can handle wringer, etc., to better advantage.

Provide drains in laundry and elsewhere in cellar so that floors may be washed with hose.

Provide a root cellar under veranda or elsewhere, where there are no pipes. Do not concrete the floor as vegetables, etc., keep better. If you have such a cellar you can keep down the high cost of living by obtaining goods in wholesale quantities.

Install a good plan of the use of the many modern improved forms. See that openings to clothes-chute are not any larger than necessary and are placed high from the floor, so that little children may not be in danger.

See that laundry windows are large—area them if necessary. Have exit from laundry convenient to back yard. Have an outside entrance, as well as one to the cellar, from the kitchen.

Place a small light in a conspicuous place in the kitchen to indicate whether the cellar switch has been turned off.

Make sure that switches are not placed behind doors or in other inconvenient places.

Have plenty of base-board outlets to supply piano, library and den tables, etc., and arrange outlets in dining room so as to give a choice between direct and indirect lighting.

In planning the shape of the bedrooms, place all your furniture and mark it on the plan. Don't forget

the radiators but place them so they do not occupy valuable wall space.

Over the beds have wall lights which may be turned on and off by a chain when one has retired. Be sure to place lights in bath room so that a man may see both sides of his face when shaving. Have medicine cupboards over the lavatories in the bathroom and elsewhere with mirrors in the doors.

There is usually some waste wall space in a bedroom where a small bookcase may be built into the wall for favorite books. This makes a guest's bedchamber especially attractive.

See that the picture mouldings are included in the original contract so as to reduce the amount of inevitable extras.

Have removable panel under the staircase or elsewhere to make a secret cupboard to store valuable goods when the family is away.

Have a small safe built into a brick wall.

Have electric lights in the clothes closets, if possible.

Have a high-up medicine cupboard where poisons and medicines may be safely kept out of the reach of children.

Have at least one of the doors of the linen closets (top so as to make a table upon which linen may be laid previous to distributing it).

See that the back stairs are properly lighted.

To minimize the up-keep in painting have only the amount of woodwork necessary to give a substantial appearance.

Have the best veranda at the back where privacy may be found and have an exit to it from the dining room or living room.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending Oct. 17, 1914

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Lella H. Qua et al. to Constance M. Hookmaster, land on Holyrood ave., Anselme Bourret et ux., to Alphonse Lathaigne, land at Rosemont Terrace.

Edward P. Shattley et ux. to Margaret F. Grant, land and buildings on Harrison Place and West Eleventh street.

Mary Louise Swan Baron et al. to Melina A. Page, land on Swan ave., Celia Levin et al. to Israel Levin, land and buildings on Howard street.

Joseph A. Coram by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land and buildings cor. Smith ave. and Middlesex street.

Benjamin Libby's heirs by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land and buildings on Branch street.

Victoria Regis by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land and buildings on Market street and Flood's alley.

Sam. Glazer et al. by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land on Andover street.

Arthur L. Grossman by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land on Andover street.

Cleason P. Sells by coll. to Cilmena H. Drake, land cor. Ray and Lincoln streets.

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DAY-BY-DAY—This Is a Sad Story, Mates

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I. W. W. LEADERS

Bedard, Yates, Trautman and Shaheen Fail to Turn in Money

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Joseph Bedard of Lawrence, William Yates of New Bedford, William Trautman of Chicago and Joseph Shaheen of Lawrence, members of the committee which handled funds subscribed for the relief of striking mill operatives' families at Lawrence in 1912, have failed to turn over to John F. Cronin, clerk of the supreme court, as ordered by Judge Hammond, about \$15,000, for which they were held to have failed to account satisfactorily.

Proceedings were brought against the men by the attorney general at the instance of Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, James M. Prendergast, Robert Wood and other contributors to the fund. Judge Hammond gave the defendants 10 days to turn the money over to the court and the time has expired.

DECISION RESERVED

Judge Hammond hears arguments in Horst's Bill for Reinstatement at Labor Board Secretary

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Judge Hammond of the supreme court yesterday heard and reserved his decision in the suit of Grover C. Hoyt against Alfred W. Donovan and the other members of the state board of labor and industries for a writ of mandamus to compel the respondents to reinstate him to the position of secretary of the board, which he held under the classified civil service rules from 1913 until that office was abolished by the board on August 1, 1914.

He claimed that the action of the board in appointing Edward F. Wallace, a lawyer, as counsel was really an attempt to evade the provisions of the civil service law.

Robert Cronin, to whom the case was referred as auditor, says that Wallace is now doing substantially the work once done by Hoyt.

One of the points relied upon by counsel for the petitioner in his argument was that the statutes require every board and commission to have a secretary.

Mr. James Harrigan of 231 Appleton street has resigned his position at Chaffin's department store. He left Friday noon for Chicago where he will accept a similar position with a large firm. He will make his home with his sister, Mrs. W. J. Richards in that city.

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- All numbers commencing with six, as 61, 63, etc., are located in Centralville.
- All numbers commencing with seven, as 71, 73, etc., are located in Pawtucketville.
- All numbers commencing with eight, as 81, 83, etc., are located in Belvidere.

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TWO RESCUED AT BIG FIRE IN WORCESTER

Day Building Annex Guttled With Loss of \$150,000—Most Spectacular Fire Worcester Has Seen in Many Years—Three Alarms Sounded

WORCESTER, Oct. 17.—About \$100,000 worth of musical instruments, chiefly pianos, organs and violins and their appurtenances, went up in smoke last night between 9 o'clock and midnight, when the Walnut street annex of the Day building was gutted by the most spectacular fire Worcester has seen in many years.

Seventeen years ago, on March 5, 1897, the same structure was the scene of a fire that entailed a loss of about \$300,000. The fire last night will cost about half that sum, according to the estimates of Chief Wesley N. Avery of the fire department.

The principal damage by the blaze last night was in the Walnut street annex, although most of the occupants of the main street section of the building suffered from smoke and the tons of water that was poured into the flames by nearly every piece of fire apparatus in Worcester, extinguished by three alarms.

It is estimated that the damage to this section of the building will be about \$50,000.

Many Studios Ruined
The building is four stories high on the Eden street side and five stories high at the east end on Walnut street. It was a nest of studios and practically every occupant suffered a total loss of his musical instruments and furniture.

The tenants were George E. Baldwin art studio; James Miles & Sons company, contractors; Worcester company of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias; G. Alfred Busby, tailor; Frank Arnold, investments; The Nantasket Realty Trust; Freda Anderson, massage rooms; Mrs. M. E. Scott, nurse; Adelaide E. Lyford, music teacher; Wilhelmina Baldwin, vocal teacher; J. Edward Bouvier, music teacher; Walter E. Eaton, music teacher; Mary McCarron, music teacher; Mrs. Lillian Hanson Gray, music teacher, with six studios; Louis Schalk, music teacher; Francis R. A. McFlynn, music teacher; Women's Christian Temperance Union rooms; Mary J. Sherry, manicure rooms; Frederick W. Mark, contractor; R. H. Howe, employment office; E. B. Lyman, insurance office; John E. Day estate office; Franklin D. Keith, manager; J. M. Nichols, dressmaking rooms; M. Wilmet, dressmaker; Alice C. Heaphy, music teacher; Mrs. A. L. Gay, dressmaker; Ardella Putnam, psychotherapist; Della A. Clark, music teacher; James L. Ladd, music teacher; Mrs. Mary E. Hall, concert; Arthur J. Mitchell, violin teacher; Alfred R. Frank, music teacher; Agnes E. Emmons, music teacher; Gwilym Miles, music studio; J. S. R. Coy, music teacher; Frederick J. Lamb, music teacher; Stillman F. Morse, investments; Charles L. Rawson, office; Nellie L. Troy, hair goods dealer; A. Lester Farwell, tailor; M. S. T. Naligian, insurance; Pythian Hall; May E. Coyne, music teacher; Winifred Mayhew, music teacher; Olive N. Brooks, music teacher; M. E. Fitzgerald, music teacher; Walter W. Farmer, music teacher; Hultman-McQuaid School of Music; Carolyn King Hunt, music teacher; Worcester County Music School; Edward L. Sumner, music teacher; Kate A. Sumner, music teacher; Michael J. Toner, city plumbing inspector; Joseph K. Kinnel, music teacher; May Sleeper Ruggles, music teacher; Woodbury & Co., photographic department; Stearns & Co., interior decorators; and Maurice Johnson, upholsterer.

Heavy Loss in Piano Store
The principal losers on the main

1,200,000 IN ENGLISH ARMY AND MORE JOINING FORCES

Correspondent Says Hundreds of Thousands are Forming in India, Canada, Australia and Elsewhere—Says Germany Will Ultimately Have to Pay in Territory as Well as in Money

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Times correspondent replying to the Frankfurter Zeitung's statement that Great Britain was unable to raise more than 600,000 troops, says:

"We have at the present moment exactly double that number, namely, 1,200,000 men and the number grows almost faster than we can cope with it. This is only the beginning."

"It is our way, as well as that of America, to begin to raise arms after war breaks out and to go on raising them until our ultimate ends are

achieved. With 1,200,000 men at home, the army in the field and the hundreds of thousands forming in India, Canada, Australia, and elsewhere are merely the nucleus upon which other armies will eventually be built."

"It is only a question of time. It stands to reason that an empire of 400,000,000 can never lack men. This war for us has hardly begun. We have sent merely an advanced guard into France. In the spring the remainder of the advanced guard will follow and somewhere toward the end of 1915 the main body will begin to come to within view."

"We are sorry for the allies that

we are even slower than Russia in making our weight felt, but a year or so hence, when the allies need a rest, we shall be in a position to make good war."

"Nothing can arrest the steadily ascending figures of our army. Their cost is of little account since Germany will ultimately have to pay in territory as well as in money."

"Imagine conditions at their worst—imagine the last Cossack on the Urals and the last French doorkeeper evicted from Bordeaux—then we would begin a martial war against Germany and still be no worse off than when we began war against Napoleon."

CARMAN MURDER TRIAL WILL OPEN ON MONDAY

Mrs. Carman Charged With the Murder of Mrs. Bailey—Movie Company Offers \$100,000 for Re-enactment of Tragedy for Film—New Witness for the State

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—When Mrs. Florence Carman is placed on trial for her life, in the Mincola supreme court on Monday, the state, through District Attorney Smith, will claim that in a jealous rage she killed Mrs. Louise Bailey with a shot intended for her husband, Dr. Edwin Carman.

Assistant District Attorney Weeks says that the prosecution will contend that Mrs. Carman overheard while dictating the conversation which determined her to kill her husband; that she ran down stairs and asked her daughter Elizabeth to stop playing so that she could hear more distinctly; that she returned to her room, that she listened to further conversation, that she came down stairs again, left the house by way of the kitchen, left

hitherto hidden witness at her trial. The witness is John Smith of Freeport, and the testimony he is expected to give is that there was a .38-caliber revolver in the Carman home shortly before the killing of Mrs. Bailey.

Much stress has been laid by the defense upon the failure to find a weapon of the caliber with which Mrs. Bailey was slain. It was declared that no such weapon had ever been in the possession of Dr. Carman or his wife. Smith is the "mystery" witness on whose testimony District Attorney Weeks was reported to rely on as one of the strongest helps to a conviction. So far as known Smith did not appear before the grand jury which indicted Mrs. Carman and his identity has been carefully guarded by Mr. Smith since a few days after the inquest.

Hint at Revenge
It was intimated that Smith's willingness to be a witness against Mrs. Carman might be based upon a desire for revenge. Surrogate John J. Graham of Nassau county, chief counsel for the accused woman, said yesterday that the new witness had been involved in a \$1000 debt with Mrs. Carman several years ago, in which he got rather the worst of it. He also asserted that Smith had been the client of the district attorney before the latter took office.

The defense is also ready for a sensational attack upon the methods employed by the prosecution in obtaining evidence. Sharp criticism of the methods employed to make Celia Coleman, a negro maid in the Carman home, "disappear" will be made and the natives which actuated Frank Farrell, the so-called tramp, to seek the district attorney and tell of seeing a woman at the window the night when the fatal shot was fired, will also be attacked.

MONDAY'S SUN FEATURES

Women's Page Will Be Published With Usual Fashion Features—'Lady Lookabout' and Others

On Monday, The Sun's Women's Page will be published, with a wealth of fashion hints, household suggestions, cuts depicting the latest styles and many highly interesting special articles. This Monday feature of The Sun will contain very many items of importance to the women, valuable helps in everyday home matters, descriptions of the newest fall styles, articles on dressmaking, etc. The women of Lowell have been long in the praise of this page and now they look forward to its publication each Monday.

"Lady Lookabout" will also appear in Monday's Sun and the usual clever and witty observations by the writer of this interesting special feature will please the readers. The other special articles will include "What the Cook Says," "What the Housewife Told Me," "What the French Maid Said" and "The Rabbit's Foot," all containing useful suggestions and interesting reading. The "Sleepytime Tales" will please the kiddies.

LOCAL NEWS

Best printing: Tobin's. Asso. Bldg. Lyceum Orchestra. Tel. 1980.
Doll & Sons pianos for sale at Hounsell's, 701 Bridge st.
If your teeth trouble you, see Dr. Garrison, 458 Merrimack street.
When you have any real estate to sell, consult J. F. Donohoe, Donovan bldg. Telephone.

ANNUAL MASS
An anniversary mass of requiem will be sung Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Michael's church for the repose of the soul of the late Thomas Kelly. Friends invited.

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Political work given personal attention.
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MRS. CARMAN

CARD OF THANKS
To the many kind friends who endeavored to console us in the hour of our affliction we, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude also for the beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets and the kindness of the Ladies of the G. A. R., the Holy Name society and Court Merrimack, and Foresters of America.
Signed
Mr. and Mrs. William Holly.
—Mary E. Holly.

FUNERAL NOTICES

BOWERS—The funeral of Duncan Vincent Bowers, Jr., will take place Monday morning from his late home, 415 Lawrence street, at 9 o'clock. High mass of requiem will be celebrated at St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will take place at St. Patrick's cemetery. Flowers in place of flowers. Funeral in charge of Undertakers Higgins Bros.

KIMBALL—The funeral of Frank L. Kimball will take place Monday afternoon. Services will be held at 48 Eighteenth street at 1 o'clock. Friends are invited without further notice. Burial will take place at Nashua, N. H. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

PERSONALS

Mr. Sydney Herbert Hall and Miss Jessie May Regan will be married Monday evening, Oct. 19, at St. John's Episcopal church, at 6 o'clock, by Rev. James Bancroft.

Yesterday was the 30th anniversary of the admission to the bar of Thomas J. Enright, Esq., judge of the local police court.

Cards have been issued for the wedding of Miss Ada E. Willmott to Mr. Stanley J. Garnett at the home of her mother, Mrs. Herbert Willmott in Mammoth road Wednesday evening, Oct. 28.

MATRIMONY

A pretty marriage took place this morning at Notre Dame de Lourdes church in Branch street, when Omer J. Laroche and Miss Emma D. Chagnon were united in the bonds of matrimony. The ceremony was performed at a nuptial mass celebrated at 7 o'clock by Rev. J. T. A. Barretto, O. M. I. The young couple were attended by their respective fathers, William Laroche and Alexandre Chagnon. During the mass appropriate hymns were



O'Sullivan Says:

The headline used in a Boston daily: "Eat an apple every day" and help New England, is good as far as it goes, but why doesn't someone in Boston get under the apple situation in New England after the manner bankers are getting under the cotton situation in the South?

"Eat an apple every day" is all right for a headline, but it isn't half as helpful to the farmer as the proposition adopted by the Merrimack Clothing Co. of giving a barrel of good, sound, hand-picked Baldwin apples to-day with every man's or boy's suit or overcoat, at any price you pay, including boys' suits as low as \$5.00.

This proposition was so successful last Saturday at the Merrimack Clothing Co. that it took the farmer all week up to Friday night to deliver the apples. He failed to make delivery of one barrel at 32 Smith St.—the address is reported to us to be wrong and the customer should call and rectify the same, and delivery will be made.

For this Saturday we have arranged with two farmers, who have picked the apples by hand, for our distribution and delivery will be made free within the limits of Lowell, and promptly, the coming week.

BARREL OF HAND PICKED BALDWIN APPLES

(Big rosy ones)

FREE Today SATURDAY

With every Man's or Boys' Suit or Overcoat.

Men's Suits.....\$9.50 to \$25
Men's Overcoats.....\$10 to \$35
Boys' Suits.....\$5 to \$10
Boys' Overcoats.....\$5 to \$12

Customers will please leave their correct address and name, and the apples will be delivered early next week.

Referring you to the range of prices printed under the cut, we want to impress upon you that every one of these prices will stand the acid test of examination and comparison, and to add that it would require a great many barrels of apples to swell the rent of the Merrimack Clothing Co. to \$70,000 a year, or even \$20,000. It's no wonder the Boston dealers don't copy the Merrimack. They're loaded down with rent and are in no position to compete with the Merrimack Clothing Co. in any way.

HUMPHREY O'SULLIVAN

For the Merrimack Clothing Co. ACROSS FROM CITY HALL

FUNERALS

MILLER—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Miller was held at her home, 63 So. Loring street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The services were conducted by Rev. Smith Baker, D. D., and Rev. Edward H. Newcomb, pastor of the First Congregational church. Appropriate selections were sung by Mrs. Horace H. Hanson and Mrs. Charles G.

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30 dozen of 33c Globes for.....15c Each
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Odd Globes for.....6c, 10c, 15c, 25c
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Tuesday, October 20th, 1914, at 10 A. M.

AT THE PUTNAM FARM, CHELMSFORD CENTRE, MASS.

Near the End of Electric Car Line

I will sell at public auction the extra fancy Holstein cows that are young, good size and heavy milkers, new calves and springers. They are a fancy lot, three and four years old. Four yearling heifers. One bay mare that weighs 1375 pounds, that is sound, kind and good worker and driver. One nice pig that will weigh 150 lbs. Single and double harnesses. One horse farm wagon, one horse dump cart, hay rake, plows, cultivators, harrows, mowing machines, Traverser runner sled, riding sleigh, minkel wagon, rubber tire Concord buggy. Lot of small tools, chains, whiffle trees, etc. Ten tons of good English hay, ten tons of stock hay; 50 R. I. Red hens, good ones and many other useful articles found on a first-class farm.
This lot of personal property is in first class condition and will be sold to the highest bidder for cash. For order,
Herbert N. Bridgely, attorney for the estate, 9 Beacon St., Boston, Mass.

GERMANS TAKE OSTEND CRY "ON TO BOULOGNE"

NOTRE DAME REUNION WITH SISTER'S JUBILEE

A Large Gathering of Graduates
Congratulate Sister Emeliana on
Her Golden Jubilee—Rare Tributes to Sister's Labors—List of Those Present

Today was in every sense of the word a gala day at Notre Dame academy, being the occasion of the nineteenth reunion of the Alumnae association and at the same time the official recognition by the alumnae of the golden jubilee of beloved Sister Mary Emeliana, who has labored unselfishly at Notre Dame for half a century and who during that time has drawn the hearts of hundreds of pupils to her by her lovable qualities. Today, graduates of classes that she taught in the early days blended with the graduates of 1914 in doing her honor and in congratulating her on such a glorious crowning of her fifty years of religious life. Sister Mary Emeliana is at present the assistant superior of Notre Dame where she has spent her entire religious life, with the exception of a short term at South Boston.

As befitting a golden jubilee, today was a golden day at Notre Dame. The chapel, the banquet hall, the reception hall and the other rooms in which the various exercises were held were decorated in white and gold; appropriate mottoes from the scripture shone on the walls in golden letters; clusters of golden chrysanthemums were grouped everywhere. The decoration of the chapel was especially effective, with great bunches of golden flowers on the altar, with clusters of lights and with the golden ribbon outlining the pews. The tables in the banquet hall were enlivened with clusters of the chrysanthemums and the walls were enriched in the prevailing color note. At the back of the reception room, palms and pine branches were arranged beautifully, and the stage was lovely in yellow and white, the decorations culminating in a large white bell overhead. In all, hundreds of golden chrysanthemums were used in the scheme of decoration; these were donated by Mrs. Edward MacMillan of Boston, chairman of the reception committee.

The order of exercises was as follows: Mass at 10 a. m.; business meeting at 10:45; banquet at 12:30 p. m.; a golden hour with Sister Mary Emeliana at 2:30 p. m.; and benediction at 4 p. m. The mass was celebrated by Rev. James J. Kerrigan of St. Patrick's

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THE RAINBOW AND THE POT OF GOLD.
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The pot of opportunity.
The pot of good service to the public.
The pot of a new kind of a store.
The pot of the largest ready to wear store in this section of New England.

church. There was a special musical program under the direction of Miss Virginia Fillion, organist. Following is the program:

Processional.....Battista
Miss Teresa Slattery, Soloist
Chorus.....Choir
Mrs. Marie McCarthy, Soloist
Accompanist, Miss J. Donohue
Ave Verum.....Battista
Miss Ellen Lynch, Soloist
"There is No Heart Like Thine," Chorus

After the mass the alumnae, to the number of 150 went to the assembly room and held their annual business meeting. The ordinary routine business was transacted and then the election of officers was held. The officers of last year were unanimously re-elected. These are:

Mrs. Catherine Corbett Walsh, Dorchester, president; Mrs. Mary Courtney Timmins, Lowell, first vice president; Mrs. Mary Cohen Hayes, Boston, second vice president; Miss Alice Donohue, Lowell, secretary; Miss Mary Creamer, Lowell, treasurer; Sister Louise, directress.

At 12:30 a banquet was served in the banquet hall, Page catering. At each place was a cord on which was inscribed in golden letters: "1844-1914. The Lord hath given a crown of joy and length of days to our Sister Mary Emeliana." During the course of the banquet there was a welcome address by the president, Mrs. Catherine Corbett Walsh of Dorchester, who presided. Then followed: "Jubilee Hymns," written by Miss Ella Donahue of Dorchester; "A Sheaf of Forget-Me-Not," gleaned and read by Miss Mary A. Eagan of Lowell, orchestra selection; address of felicitation by Mrs. Donohue.

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LOOK AT THIS MAN

Examine the tiny lamp so rudely constructed in 1879.
Then look at his finished product of 1914.

Would you not like to take advantage of this home light which has required 35 years to produce?
Call for your Edison picture!

Lowell Electric Light Corp.
50 Central St.

ALLIES' LEFT WING HOLDING GROUND

The German army which successfully besieged Antwerp has swept victoriously westward along the Belgian coast until now with its right wing resting on Ostend it forms the extreme right of the German line stretching from the North sea to the Swiss frontier.

A great battle to determine whether the advancing German hosts will be stopped in western Belgium or pushed on into France, seizing Dunkirk and Calais on the Strait of Dover, must come soon, and quite probably is being fought today. Official intelligence is markedly meagre today as it invariably is the case when the belligerents are particularly active.

The French official statement today says that the German troops occupying western Belgium have not crossed the line running south to Menin. The allied forces have occupied Fleurbaix and the immediate approaches to Arras. It is announced, while further gains in the region of Arras and the vicinity of St. Mihiel are claimed. Berlin announces that a gigantic battle is preparing in the eastern theatre, where the Austro-German forces have taken positions along the Visula and San rivers.

Vienna states officially that fighting continued Thursday along the entire battle front from Strzy and Sambor, both to the southeast of Przemyśl to the mouth of the San.

The most recent advices from Petrograd claimed Russian successes in Russian Poland.

Vienna agrees that there is a lull in the East Prussia frontier, following a battle in which neither side had an advantage.

A correspondent at Brussels reports that a greater part of the German army after the occupation of Ostend left for the east.

GERMAN FORCES TO MARCH ON CALAIS AND BOULOGNE—

LONDON, Oct. 17.—German forces, as was predicted, have occupied Ostend near the sea, where the Germans' right wing and the allies' left are struggling in the latest phase of what was once the battle of the Aisne. All reports reaching London say that German imagination has been fired by the taking of Ostend and the cry is not only "On to Calais" but "On to Boulogne!"

What progress, if any, the Germans have made since they entered Ostend Thursday morning is not known here, but their next objective apparently is Dunkirk. Opinion in England seems to differ as to what part the British fleet should play should the battle continue to skirt the coasting, and the reports that British dreadnaughts would back up the French, British and Belgian forces from the straits of Dover seem to originate in German sources.

London papers generally deny the importance of the German occupation of the Belgian coasting, pointing out that the British mine field prevents the enemy bringing ships to operate from the none too spacious harbor of Ostend. The fact remains, however, that as the fighting gets geographically nearer to England, the public, hitherto discussing and speculating on a Zeppelin raid, is bound to ask itself: "What will come next?"

It is unquestionably true that if Germany is able to engineer submarine attacks from a base farther away, Ostend if held by the invaders certainly would be of some strategic value.

In the house of correction and appealed.

IN POLICE COURT

Louis A. Landry, a youth of twenty years, caused quite a commotion last night at the corner of Market and Central streets when he drew a six-shooter from beneath his coat, pointed it at another young man, and asked him if he wanted to get shot up.

Sergeant Ryan and Officer Winn rounded up Landry soon after the Wild West scene and took him to the station, where he was searched and the revolver, fully loaded in all six chambers, was taken from his pocket. He was arraigned in police court this morning charged with carrying a concealed weapon and also with assault and battery.

The young man admitted to the court today that he was drunk when he drew the revolver and did not remember pointing it at his companion. He had never been arrested before, he said. The boy's father told Judge Enright that his son had always been dutiful in every way.

Judge Enright found the defendant guilty on each charge. "If it were not for the fact that you are a young man and that your reputation is good I would send you to the house of correction," said the court. Landry was fined \$50 on each complaint and appealed.

George Rustum was charged with the larceny of a newspaper from Hannah's boudoir, said alleged larceny occurring early this morning. The arresting officer, the defendant and the woman from whom the paper was taken was not on hand. The case was put over until tomorrow.

The defendant told the court that he was a regular customer at the store and that he took the paper on the morning and settled at the end of the week. Judge Enright took the man's recognizance until Monday morning.

Several offenders were sent away today for habits of intemperance. One woman journeyed to the house of correction at Cambridge for five months. During the past year she has spent seven months in jail on account of the fact that it is impossible for her to abstain from intoxicants.

LOWER INSURANCE RATES

REDUCTION WENT INTO EFFECT
THIS MORNING FOR NEW ENGLAND

A reduction in fire insurance rates in Lowell and every other city in New England went into effect this morning, according to notices received by Lowell agents this morning. The reduction came as a surprise to property holders in general as less than a month ago, a substantial increase was made known. The reduction goes into effect immediately and premiums will be figured on pro rata basis.

On September 27, a change was made on the New England rates on what is called term policies. Previous to that time the rate on a three-year term policy was figured by multiplying the one-year rate by two and the five-year rate was reached by multiplying the one year rate by three. After Sept. 27, the three-year rate was figured by multiplying the annual rate by two and a half and the five-year rate by multiplying by four.

NO AGREEMENT YET

Employees of the Massachusetts Northeastern railway are anxiously awaiting a settlement between the employees of the Bay State street railway and the company officials so that Organizer Fred Fay may find time to consult the first mentioned company relative to the new wage schedule which is now pending with the officials of that road. Both agreements expired on October 1.

Daily conferences are being held between the officials of the Bay State Street railway and representatives of the union who ask for an increase in wages. The company turned down the demand and a compromise figure is to be settled upon.

BRUSH FIRES QUENCHED

The heavy rain of yesterday and last night thoroughly extinguished the many grass fires which were burning on the outskirts of the city throughout the week. The fire into the dangerous territory in Pawtucketville, what the firemen had attempted to do for several days. The rain also killed a brush fire in North Billerica, which had been burning for nearly two weeks.

Second Edition

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In the course of their investigation the water department men arranged a pipe for the water that was leaking and found that the leak was yielding 36 gallons a minute—some leak.

When the department got down to the root of the trouble they found that two of the joints of the 34-inch pipe, laid 30 years ago had partly pulled apart, due perhaps to the ground settling. The joints were put back in shape and iron rods were put in to secure them so that there is little danger of any further dissolution of partnership.

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Richardson Hotel

Will Serve Their Usual Famous

TABLE D'HOTE DINNER

AND SPECIAL COMBINATIONS

Lederman's Orchestra and a Sweet Singer.

FOR SUNDAY, OCT. 18

Our Special for Today

Small Fancy Tenderloin Steak
Julienne Potatoes
Bordelaise Sauce
Asparagus Tips
Mayonnaise
Ice Cream, Pie or Pudding
Tea or Coffee

75c

TRADE ENVOYS IN BOSTON

Attaches Tell About So. America in Conference—N. E. Business Men Question Federal Agents

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Three United States commercial attaches, of the staff which Sec. of Commerce Redfield is sending to South America to foster and promote trade with that country, conferred at the chamber of commerce yesterday with representatives of some of New England's industries.

Dr. Albert Hale, accredited to Buenos Aires; A. L. Harrington, at Lima, Peru; and Vernon L. Havens, at Santiago, Chile, were the attaches present. F. L. Roberts, newly appointed commercial agent in charge of the Boston branch office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, presided.

Cordage, wireless and electrical outfit, bricks, shoes and leather, shoe machinery, woolen and worsted goods, bottles and coal, were industries represented. It was brought out that the commercial attaché will occupy the void between the diplomatic representative and the consular agent in foreign fields, largely adding the latter but his rating is nearer that of the diplomat.

While he will not devote any time to complaints from any one manufacturer or exporter or supply them with orders, he will cover his territory and report to Washington on the general trade situation, giving advance information, when possible, on tariffs, credit systems and similar matters and supplying advice as to how United States merchants can best stimulate trade.

Dr. Hale said Sec. Redfield talked with the commercial attaches last Monday and told them they were to act largely on their own initiative; to be, in every good sense of the word, Yankees.

Thomas F. Anderson, secretary of the New England Shoe and Leather association, said he was making up a list of matters which the commercial attaché could study in their own fields. He said his association takes a keen interest in the whole question of South American trade and will be glad to cooperate with the attaches.

There are now 40 lines of New England footwear selling in South America, he said, and he believed the shoe business there was bound to increase.

Americans Needed on the Spot
John N. Cole, of the Boston Industrial board sought to learn how a number of manufacturers could combine in establishing a branch in South America, and in what way the com-

OUT OF THE GLOOM

Many a Gloomy Countenance in Lowell Now Lightens with Happiness

A bad back makes you gloomy. Can't be happy with continual backache. The aches and pains of a bad back are frequently due to weak kidneys. Doan's Kidney Pills are recommended for weak kidneys.

So Lowell citizens testify.
A. W. Kent, 45 E. St., Lowell, says: "Several years ago I had kidney trouble and backache. Dizzy spells were common and spots floated before my eyes. My hands and feet would become cramped and disturb my sleep. The kidney secretions were discolored and hard to pass. The secretions also contained sediment. I finally began using Doan's Kidney Pills and six boxes cured me."

Price 50c, at all dealers. Don't simply ask for a kidney remedy—get Doan's Kidney Pills—the same that Mr. Kent had. Foster-McBarn Co., Props., Buffalo, N. Y.

HOTEL COLLINGWOOD

West 35th Street, NEW YORK CITY
SETH H. MOSLEY
Half Bk. from Herald Sq. & 5th Av. In midst of leading department stores and theatres.
Select accommodations for discriminating people with personal attention and service impossible in the larger hotels. Your patronage is earnestly solicited.
Room without bath.....\$1.50
Room without bath for two.....\$2.00
Room with bath.....\$2.50
Room with bath for two.....\$3.00
Parlor Bedroom with bath.....\$5.00
Special attention given to ladies and families. Restaurant at moderate prices.

QUINCY HOUSE
500 Rooms—\$1.00 Per Day and Up
FREE SHOWER BATHS
Your Choice from 3 or 4 50c
Lunch Specials \$1.00
Every Day 11:30 a.m. to 9:00 p.m.
TABLE D'HOTEL DINNER
In main dining room and cafe, 11:30 to 9 p.m. \$1.00
PLANKED STEAK or \$1.50
Served for two persons in the JAPANESE GARDENS
BOSTON'S MOST NOVEL CAFE
Special Music 12 to 2 P.M.
With Solos 6 P.M. to Midnight

mercial attaches could help. He was told that any specific request of this nature should be through the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce. Mr. Cole also asked whether it was preferable to send American representatives or to engage natives. He was told that both should be used, the native to help the American manager.

Attache Harrington declared that the best way is to have an American representative on the spot. Such big interests as the oil, tobacco and sewing machine corporations have regular offices with American staffs in every corner of the globe.

Attache Havens said too much stress has been laid by United States business men on payment in gold for their merchandise sent to South America. "South America," he observed, "does not produce gold, but it does produce other minerals, agricultural products, hides, cereals, coffee, etc. At present the credit establishment is in London, but we must try to establish credits in this country."

"We should look to the people in South America for payment in their own products. If you went down there now and demanded payment in gold your efforts would be largely lost."

Language Questions
S. J. Steinmetz thought it ought to be more generally known that Portuguese is the language spoken in Brazil, Spanish on the west coast and other countries. The decimal and metric systems are largely in vogue.

Attache Harrington wanted to know what the difficulty was with glass bottle manufacturers in the South American field. Joseph C. Shoemaker, representing that industry, said the South American trade had been tilted but often the goods never reached their destination, and always they were poorly packed and their "cots" there. Now that automatic machinery for making bottles has been perfected, he thought there was an opening for Americans.

Attache Havens said the South American business man is usually well educated, and American representatives should make a good impression. Attache Harrington added that South America is also feeling the effects of the war and anyone expecting to go down there and establish a booming trade at once is apt to get disappointed.

"It is," he continued, "the psychological moment to make your connections and make friends with your future patrons. It is a long process, but people down there have plenty of time to talk business."

New England Exposition
Mr. Anderson suggested that the attaches investigate the possibilities of the Boston chamber of commerce maintaining a New England exposition in such cities as Rio Janeiro, Buenos Aires and Santiago. He had urged this before, he said, but would like the ideas of the government agents after they reached their posts.

William S. McNary said there were two vital points in South American trade: the United States banks must cooperate, and there must be direct steamship connections between the United States and South America. If necessary, he thought the government should buy and operate steamship lines.

Commercial Agent Roberts called attention to the facilities of his office in the Oliver building, where there is a mass of information and data of genuine value to manufacturers and exporters.

THE BOHEMIANS' DANCE

ATTRACTED LARGE GATHERING LAST EVENING DESPITE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER

Associate hall was last night the scene of a pretty dancing party, the occasion being the seventh annual of the Bohemians, one of Lowell's many popular young men's organizations. There was a large attendance and all danced merrily to music furnished by Miner's orchestra.

The following officers had charge of the affair:
General manager, John Minahan; assistant general manager, Thomas Weston; floor director, Thomas Bean; assistant floor director, James Hesling; chief aids, Harry Healy, Richard Thompson; and Jerry A. Minahan, Secy. and Treas. Frank McNabb, Edward Dean, Matthew Moulton, William Ayotte, Frank White, Edward Scott, James Brown, Daniel Callahan, Frank Jones, William Burke, William Chapman, Waldo Chapman; treasurer, Joseph Whitely; secretary, Jerry Minahan.

There were many Antwerp refugees, when some of them were asked if they would be willing to return in case arrangements could be completed with the German government, they declared emphatically that they never would return so long as the Germans were in possession.

It is estimated that 35,000 refugees have landed here and at Folkestone since Wednesday.

J. H. Aubert of 18 Mt. Vernon street will leave tomorrow night on a 10 days' trip to Montreal and Quebec.

Mr. Hanson believes that his investigation disproves the contention of Dr. Louis Fischer of the United States bureau of standards, who recently declared that the people of the United States are paying \$2,500,000 annually for butter they do not get. But Dr. Fischer admitted that the creameries find it to be impossible to guarantee an "honest" pound of butter because of the great variance of shrinkage under exactly the same atmospheric conditions.

PREFERS JAIL TO GIVING NAME

17-Year-Old Boy Received Sentence of 1 Yr. in U.S. Dist. Court

Is Charged With Post-office Break at Charlton Depot

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—After remaining in jail all summer, while the federal authorities vainly sought to learn something about him, a 17-year-old boy yesterday stoically received in United States district court a sentence of a year and a day in jail at Plymouth rather than tell his name.

Under the name of John Hutchinson, which he admits is assumed, he was sentenced for breaking and entering the postoffice at Charlton Depot. Judge Norton was deeply disturbed at the attitude of the boy, and tried to find out something about him with a view to allowing him to go home if he had a suitable home rather than send him to prison.

Two other boys charged with the same offense were placed under the care of the probation officers of Suffolk county in June and permitted to go home, while Hutchinson stubbornly refused to disclose his identity or to evince any contrition for his wrongdoing.

The stranger was unknown to the other boys, who met him stealing a ride on a freight train. He was arrested in Schenectady, N. Y.

The boy was in court in June and the judge talked to him. He went to jail until an investigation could be made. For weeks efforts were made to find out something about him, but all in vain.

Within a week he still refused to tell his name to Probation Officer Barker of the municipal court.

"I want to go to Atlanta," is a remark he made to one of the officers who tried to question him.

"I am sorry to have to send you to prison," said Judge Morton in a kind way to the youth yesterday, "but you have forced me to do it. I wanted to help you. You are too young to go to prison and I don't want to send you there. I was willing to meet you more than half way, but you refused to aid yourself. If you think you can defy the law you are mistaken."

A sarcastic grin for a moment gave place to the look of impression made on the young offender by the remarks of the judge, which were uttered in the friendliest spirit.

The boy's language to court officers outside the courtroom is said to have been indicative of a rough type.

TYLER BUYS FARM

Boston Pitcher Will Live on Dunstable Road, Near Dracut

George Tyler, formerly a pitcher on the Lowell New England league baseball team, and one of the victorious Boston Braves, went to Nashua, N. H., yesterday and with his world's series money and some more purchased the Roby farm of 400 acres. The farm is located on the old Dunstable road, about 10 miles from this city.

Tyler, who was reared on a farm in Derry, N. H., has been looking for a home for several weeks and recently stated that he would buy a farm at the end of the baseball season. Yesterday he and Thomas P. O'Connell of this city visited the property and the final papers were signed.

"I intend to move at once," he declared, "and will make the farm my home. I shall buy some stock this winter and go in for stock raising, but incidentally may produce milk and cream. I bought the farm from Cushman Brothers of Nashua, Mass."

It will be recalled that the brave pitcher married Miss Lillian M. Tarthy of this city over a year ago.

BUTTER UNDER WEIGHT

EIGHTY-FIVE PER CENT OF SAMPLES OF PRINT BUTTER FOUND TO BE SHORT

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Oct. 17.—Having completed a systematic weighing of butter in every city and town of the commonwealth, Thure Hanson, state sealer of weights and measures, announced yesterday that his investigation shows that less than one-half of 1 per cent of all the butter sold in Massachusetts is under weight.

He announces that 33 prints of butter were selected at random in Lowell and that the investigation in that city shows that no prints were over weight and that 23 prints were under weight and that the percentage of short weight was 85 per cent. These figures compare very unfavorably with certain other sections of the state where the per cent of the butter weighed was found to be smaller.

The Bon Marche
LOWELL'S MOST PROGRESSIVE DEPT. STORE
MEN'S and BOYS' SPECIALS

Men's and Boys' Sweaters

Now ready in all the prevailing patterns and many patterns exclusively our own. Handsome shades of red, gray and navy blue, in just the correct length. Prices:

Men's.....\$2.00 to \$7.00
Boys.....\$1.00 to \$3.00

Men's Outing Flannel Night Shirts

In handsome colors with or without collars, cut long and full.....50c, 75c and \$1.00

Men's Union Underwear

"Yale Make," excellent fitting patterns, cut with closed crotch.....\$1, \$1.50, \$2, \$3

Men's Underwear

Shirts and drawers in all the different weights, large stock to select from, 50c to \$1.50

Men's Outing Flannel

Pajamas, handsome blue and red stripes, cut full size and trimmed with silk frogs, \$1.00 per suit

THE RESERVE LIST

Lowell Club Will be in Pennant Hunt Next Year—Twelve on List

The Lowell baseball club will start out next spring with a likely looking squad of reservists. In fact, practically as good as any in the league. Secretary Farrell of the national commission has issued the reserve list of the New England league clubs. In addition to the players mentioned in this list Manager Gray still has a string upon the services of Jimmy Ring provided that James does not make good with the Yankees. The list is as follows:

Lowell: Howard Fahley, Frank Swayne, Matt Zeiser, Earl Stimpson, Pete Waugh, Maurice Dea, James Greenhalge, Norman Weaver, C. O. Lohman, John Roggy (suspended), Samuel Sherk (suspended), Roy Smith (suspended).

Lawrence: F. Braddy, M. Flaherty, A. Pearson, W. Smith, J. Riegler, F. Olde, W. Fullerton, J. Barron, H. Aubrey, R. Conley, M. Lynch, L. Mahoney, A. Howard, D. O'Connell, W. Lyster, J. Seelentick (suspended), F. Hill (suspended), J. Harter (suspended).

Worcester: William Root, James Conney, Thomas Young, John Strands, Ben Siewart, Fred Rawley, Earle Polteiger, Ben Van Dyke, Robert Johnston, John Bushman, Willie M. Carson, Hugh McGinnis, Charles Shorten, Reggy Rawlings (suspended), Howard Miller (suspended), Dave Evers (suspended), Irwin Reisse (suspended).

Lewiston: Arthur McGovern, Joseph Casey, William Garlow, John Radloff, James Gorman, Frank Brinkholm, Joseph Judge, William Phoenix, Michael Thomas, Wm. Murphy, Timothy Shea, Patrick Maloney, Paul Howard, Fred Bailey, Ralph Masterson.

Portland: Joseph Burns, Ben Bowcock, Pete Clements, John Dowell, Charles Hayden, Chas. Hickman, Clifford Jewell, Walter Longergan, F. McCarthy, Henry Merrill, Charles McCarty, Harry Moran, Oscar Tupper, A. Watkins, H. H. Williams, Gilbert Whitehouse, Theo. J. Clark.

Manchester: Chester Sweatt, Joseph Killullen, Walter Torphy, Joseph Kane, Charles Reed, George Spies, Henry King, William Collins, Joseph Scanlon, Fred Osterberg, Jas. Kennedy, Chas. Reed.

Haverhill: C. Wilson, M. Joyce, Mike Gaston, W. Smith, J. Riegler, F. Olde, W. Fullerton, R. Campbell, G. Yelle, J. Pepposick, Larry Conley, P. Duggan.

BOMBS FELL NEAR

German Aeroplane's Parting Salute to Red Cross Steamer Benzaps 600 Wounded

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The directors of the Belgian Red cross arrived in London yesterday with 600 wounded soldiers. The last of 18,000 who have been brought to England. As the Red Cross steamer left Ostend a Taube aeroplane dropped two bombs which fell in the water a few yards from the vessel.

OLDING A BENEDICT

Athletic Left Fielder Weds Miss Hannah A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—Reuben N. Olding, left fielder of the Philadelphia Athletics, and Miss Hannah A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., were married by a magistrate here yesterday. Olding is under bail on charges of desertion and nonsupport preferred by his wife. He was married shortly before the opening of the world's series games. He denied a prior marriage to the license clerk yesterday.

Miss Thomas said she was married before, but had been divorced in 1903 on the grounds of desertion.

"I was never married to the woman who brings this charge against me," declared Olding before the ceremony. "She is simply after my world series money."

"This trouble put me off my game in the big series. What chance had I to play decent ball when everyone in Boston was yelling that I had deserted my wife? I know I didn't play as I should and I attribute it to this trouble."

QUEEN IN ARMY

Elizabeth of Belgium With the King—35,000 Refugees in England

HAYRE, via Paris, Oct. 17.—Queen Elizabeth of the Belgians is with her husband at the headquarters of the Belgian army, and is his constant companion, except when King Albert approaches the firing line to encourage and direct his troops.

M. Huismans, Belgian minister of



QUEEN OF BELGIUM

state, in announcing the above fact yesterday, added that King Albert was showing great stoicism and that Queen Elizabeth was sharing his perils and giving an example of dignity and courage worthy of classic times.

This usually sombre port is now brilliant with French, Belgian and British uniforms. The streets are crowded with horse-drawn equipages and automobiles. The members of the diplomatic corps are lodged in one of the hotels of the city.

DEDICATE BAND STAND

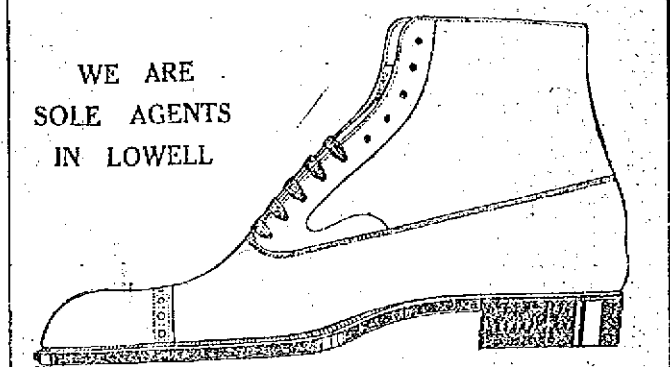
Fifty Picked Musicians Will Render Fine Program on the South Common Tomorrow Afternoon

The new band stand on the South Common will be dedicated tomorrow Sunday at 2:30 p.m. weather permitting. The dedication is in the hands of the Lowell Musicians' association, local 53, A. F. of M. An affiliated band of 50 picked musicians, all members of the association, will render the following program:

March, Conqueror.....Telke
Directed by R. A. Griffiths, president of the association
Conceit Waltz, Adele.....Jean Briquet
Director, Emile J. Boyles
Overture, Post and Pension.....Suppe
Director, John B. Fairbrother
Cornet solo.....Selected
Director, Faust.....Gounod
Director, John J. Giblin
Intermezzo, Hearts and Flowers.....Tobani
Director, Edward Mores
Selection, Echoes from the Metropolitan Opera House.....Tobani
Director, Percy J. Burleigh
Popular Melody, Hayland Hill.....Hayland
Director, R. F. Taber
Finale, Grand American Fantasia, L. Bendix
Director, R. A. Griffiths.

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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

SLEEPING OUT-OF-DOORS

"Oh dear, I feel so lazy all the time," sighed Marjorie as she slumped into a chair in her aunt's boudoir. "When I get up in the morning I feel as tired as though I had not slept at all."

"Probably you don't get fresh air enough," returned Marie. "Why don't you take advantage of the little porch outside your windows and try sleeping outdoors for a while? It is certainly the front and side to keep out the worst of the storms."

"The matter of beds is otherwise somewhat of a problem because mattresses will get damp if left out all the time and a damp bed is about the worst disease-breeder one could find. On the other hand, folding army cots can easily be brought indoors in the morning, although for permanent sleeping quarters most people prefer a mattress."

"Special mattresses come, but it is wiser in any case to house them during the day and warm them on cold nights before attempting to sleep in them."

"Now in regard to bed clothing, for severe weather, the double-faced sleeping bags have been much improved by being made to button up one side as well as across the foot."

HE CHEWED GUM

Mrs. Bird Says Masticatory Person Was the First to Swindle Her

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—It was "a man who chewed gum" that first interested Mrs. Emma W. Bird of Salt Lake City in the purchase of rare books. As an unintended result of his endeavors, James J. Farmer, Colonel William J. Hartley and eight other officers and agents of the Anglo-American Authors' association were brought to trial in the United States district court Wednesday on charges of using the mails to defraud.

In opening the case, Assistant District Attorney Frank M. Rogers said the government would prove that the frauds had amounted to \$10,000,000 in the past five years.

The trial had barely been started before Judge Foster had Romeo W. Nathan and E. J. Marr, two of the defendants, ordered pleas of guilty. When Mr. Rogers had got over his surprise at this development he began to make arrangements for calling Nathan and Marr as witnesses for the prosecution.

Then Mrs. Bird was called to review the story she told in November, 1912, when she recovered against Farmer and his associates a verdict for \$12,377.66. She had asked for that rebate on editions of Oscar Wilde, Walt Whitman, Paul de Kock, Carlyle and Flaubert that experts had testified were worth more than \$2500. Immediately upon the finding of this verdict Farmer and the others were indicted for using the mails to defraud.

"A man who chewed gum," Mrs. Bird testified Wednesday "visited me in Salt Lake City and persuaded me to buy a set of Col. Roosevelt's works autographed, for \$200. He assured me that the books were worth at least \$1000. I think I never knew what this man's name was. All I remember about him is that he told me of a wonder of a library."

She said she had been in New York when the man's name was. He would let me have it for \$5000. It was worth \$25,000, he said, but the man's heir needed the money and would let me have it for \$5000.

Then former Governor Wells of Utah introduced Glen Farmer to me, and on his urging I bought the library. He called again, looking worried, and told me my library was still not really complete, and that I ought to buy a library he knew about in Denver.

He said it was worth at least \$10,000, but that he could get it for me for \$17,500. So I borrowed the money and bought it. I haven't seen Farmer since."

Glen Farmer is a son of James J. Farmer. He was convicted in Boston several months ago on the complaint of one of his "clients."

Altogether, Mrs. Bird paid \$17,500 for books bought from the A. A. A. A. she said. When she resumes the stand she will testify regarding letters she received from the dealers. The government expects to show that these letters were fictitious, though they purported to come from millions of collectors who craved because they had missed chances to get such and such editions, or who offered to buy at handsome advances editions that had been "captured" by others.

This shows them to be opened out and thoroughly aired after using. "These are warm enough without other covering for ordinary weather, especially with the comfortable sleeping garments to be had. Union suits of heavy wool come with feet, if so desired, although some people prefer to wear separate bed socks instead."

"Hand-knit night caps are comfortable and warm. Some of them are made like the old cuirasses of medieval times, with a neck protector or cap which extends all the way round and can be pulled up over the chin if so desired. The top pulls well down over the forehead so that if the night be cold, only the eyes and nose need be exposed."

"Many people find cotton or linen sheets very cold in winter, even for indoor sleeping, and nowadays, one can procure special widths and special grades of cashmere or wool taffeta for those who complain of cold feet. These sheets are more sanitary than sleeping between blankets because the sheets will bear constant washing."

"It must be remembered in outdoor sleeping that the mattress or cot should be not always as warm as the bed clothes over the sleeper, hence for cold weather, extra padding or blankets must be laid over the mattress if a sleeping bag is not provided."

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Clinton S. Martin of No. 153 Riverside Drive, testified yesterday that George M. Fleher, one of the defendants, had sold him books for \$2500 on a promise that they would be sold again "in a few months" at a profit. They never were so sold, however.

CECILIE FREED

The German Steamship Will Be Taken to Boston

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 17.—By consent of all parties the German steamship Kronprinzessin Cecilie will be taken from Bar Harbor to Boston, according to a decision in the federal court yesterday. Judge Hale will sign the decree later.

The libel here will be dismissed and the attachment for \$1,000,000 in the suit of the Guaranty Trust company of New York will be released. New proceedings of the same nature, brought in Massachusetts, will be filed as soon as the vessel reaches that jurisdiction.

She will probably be conveyed from Bar Harbor to Boston by a United States torpedo boat and a revenue cutter. As far as practicable she will be kept within the three-mile limit, and that will be possible in Maine waters. If any attempt is made to capture the prize after that she will be rapidly brought within the neutrality zone.

It is understood that the steamship will be taken out by Marshal Wilson or by some officer under his direction, and a transfer will be made to Massachusetts officials at the proper point. No objection is anticipated from any belligerent nation.

In addition to the main suit, Charles W. Rantoul, a passenger, has petitioned to intervene to ask for damages because the steamship failed to comply with the neutrality zone.

The Guaranty Trust company of New York was based on the failure of the steamship to finish her voyage and to deliver more than \$10,000,000 in gold consigned to various parties.

ESCAPED A SMASH-UP
Attorney-General Boynton, while hurrying to a political rally at North Chelmsford, Wednesday evening, had a narrow escape from being injured when a forward tire on his automobile blew out. Fortunately, the car did not overturn and the attorney-general escaped with a slight shaking up.

POST SEASON SERIES

Show Leagues Even — Braves, Giants, White Sox and Browns Victorious

The post-season clashes between National and American League clubs for the inter-league championship dispelled, so far as these four series were concerned, any impression that the American league was the stronger. As to deciding the inter-league championship, if there is such a thing, the series were an even break, each league winning two. The Cardinals and Cubs lost to the Browns and White Sox respectively and the Braves and Giants won from the Athletics and New York Americans respectively. The emphatic and impressive victory of the Braves was the big corn for the National league, and that the Braves stood as good a chance as any club in either league of finishing first in the championship league is as reasonable to believe as the reverse.

Although the four series were an even break the National Leaguers won more games. The total returns were twelve games to nine in their favor. The probable truth of the matter is that, although each victor proved its superiority over its opponent for a short series, and the Braves proved that they are class enough for any company, the rival organizations are evenly matched. What proof of super-

iority the total number of games won and lost furnish is slight and unconvincing. The Braves, the best in the National league, unmistakably were better than the best in the American league, while in the other series it was a case of first division teams of the National meeting second division teams of the American. The only close series was in Chicago. The Giants and Browns won easily.

The Braves won four straight, the Giants won four out of five, the White Sox won four out of seven, the Browns won four out of five. The Browns and Cardinals played a sixth game, which was a tie, but the Browns had won four by that time and the figures of the sixth game aren't counted in the following tables of total runs, hits and errors:

W. L. R. H. E.

Braves 4 0 15 34 3

Athletics 0 4 6 24 2

Giants 4 1 22 35 9

N. Y. A. 1 4 14 49 11

Cubs 3 4 15 45 14

White Sox 4 3 22 45 9

Cardinals 1 4 7 25 9

Browns 4 1 13 41 3

GRAND TOTALS

W. L. R. H. E.

Americans 9 12 55 150 26

Nationals 12 9 64 155 35

ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

The supporters of the American league found little to back up their opinions in the inter-city series played between the Nationals and the American league teams after the conclusion of their schedules. The nationals had the edge on their opponents, everything taken into consideration.

Baseball experts are now stating that the Braves could undoubtedly have finished at the head of the American league had the club been in that organization. Although there are many who disagree with this assertion, facts seem to warrant the truth of it, nevertheless.

The Players' Fraternity has once more elected David L. Fultz as its chief executive. The heads of organized ball would give much to see Fultz cast into the discard by the fraternity of ball players. He has played a thorn in the side of organized ball and will probably continue his pointed characteristics.

The semi-final Tuesday night to the Lamford-Smith bout ought to prove a whitening go. Young Jasper and Joe Egan will be the principals in the mixup and eight fast rounds are sure

to take place. Egan is considered to be the cleverest welterweight in New England. Jasper depends upon his hitting ability all the way through.

Dan Noonan is now thinking seriously of transferring his Haverhill franchise to Bangor, Me. At least report says "seriously." Haverhill may not be as inspiring a ball town as some of the others along the New England circuit, but Bangor, in our estimation, would be much worse. Semi-pro ball had a hard time existing down there.

In spite of the rain today the Textile elite journeyed to Bangor for their game with St. John's prep. The Lawrence academy game, which was originally scheduled for this afternoon will be played Nov. 11. The field at Bangor was in woeful condition for a children contest. In the St. John's management, on account of their heavy line, refused to postpone it.

The Lowell high-Nashua high game was postponed owing to the rain. This game was expected to prove a whitening go. Young Jasper and Joe Egan will be the principals in the mixup and eight fast rounds are sure

BOSTON WRITER ANOTHER LEAGUE

Raps Lowell Fight Fans When Most of Knocking Came From Hub

Because a sporting event does not end the way they predicted, there are a lot of so-called sports who cry "frameup." Some of the sports from Lowell and elsewhere raised that cry after Gallant defeated Cross, but any fan who saw the bout knows differently. One of the Lowell sports goes further by pretending he knew when the framing-up was done. Such disgruntled sports should not follow the game—Boston Globe.

The moral of this article is quite right and to the point but the Boston sports would do well to look around his own back before taking a crack at other headlines. Possibly some of the Lowell sports did have something to say against a frame-up but why does the Hub writer pick out another town than his own when he wishes to cast aspersions?

If the Boston writer attended the fight and is blessed with even fairly good brains he would have heard many fight followers for Boston saying the same thing. Others may have made these remarks but the large majority of disgruntled ones live right in Boston. It might be well for the Hub writer to remember the saying, "People who live in glass houses, etc."

TO MANAGE CUBS EXCITING GAMES

Bresnahan to Succeed Rolled Last Night on O'Day, is the Report—Johnny Evers Smiles Popular Than Ever

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Roger Bresnahan will manage the Chicago Cubs next season. The scheme of supplanting Hank O'Day, often spoken of during the season, is going through, and the former New York Giant and ex-manager of the St. Louis Cardinals has been elected definitely for the place.

This news comes from an agent of Charles P. Taft, who has the absolute confidence of the Cincinnati owner of the West Side team.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN
Seventy-five per cent of the women are below the 36 standard figure measurement.

Last night was another busy time for the pin boys of the local alleys, many good strings being the result of matched games and league contests.

The Lamson league staged two matches on their reserved alleys at Kittredges. The Mullins captured all three strings and the totals from the conveyors. It was either team's side until the last string had been rolled off. Boudreau of the winners was high man. In the other Lamson league game the Air Line took the last two strings and the totals from the Mullins. Jackson, anchor man for the Air Line unit, put up the strongest total. The 11 & 6 rollers had little difficulty in winning from the Mullins on the Crescent alleys. The final score was 1291-1225. Jackson was

high man. The North Ends swamped the South Ends in their inter-club game by the score of 1315 to 1153. But it was the ducks for 385.

The Folding Room and the Paper Box Shop went at it last evening in a match which was in doubt up to the last string. The latter team, however, pulled away from their opponents in the last few boxes and won out. Vicent of the losers rolled 263.

The Victorians and the Merrimacks rolled a six-man game, which was close all the way through. The Victorians nine separated them at the end of the match with the Victorians on the long end. McQuade of the losers was high man.

The M. P. R. and Poland Pits got into an alley wrangle and the former five pulled out a winner. Fitzgerald was high man. The Beardslee Room and the Finishing Room of the Lawrence Co. put up the closest battle rolled at Kittredges last night, the former winning by twenty-one pins. Goofrey was high man with 239. The scores:

| BOARDING | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Watson | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Lolselle | 53 | 96 | 94 | 243 |
| Lolselle | 51 | 83 | 91 | 225 |
| St. Armand | 50 | 81 | 83 | 214 |
| Goofrey | 50 | 101 | 81 | 232 |
| Bourque | 100 | 56 | 115 | 271 |
| Totals | 434 | 447 | 462 | 1343 |

| FINISHING ROOM | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Loomis | 53 | 101 | 21 | 175 |
| Fulton | 53 | 76 | 91 | 220 |
| Compagnie | 51 | 55 | 87 | 193 |
| Nord | 51 | 52 | 87 | 190 |
| Carpenter | 55 | 52 | 87 | 194 |
| Totals | 445 | 441 | 456 | 1342 |

| M. T. R. | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Denolt | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Fitzgerald | 72 | 39 | 32 | 143 |
| Fitzgerald | 107 | 39 | 32 | 178 |
| Menahan | 51 | 81 | 82 | 214 |
| Wallace | 76 | 81 | 92 | 249 |
| Seawee | 91 | 102 | 77 | 270 |
| Totals | 427 | 475 | 429 | 1331 |

| POLAND PITS | | | | |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Lynn | 65 | 50 | 40 | 155 |
| Murphy | 79 | 65 | 49 | 193 |
| O'Neil | 72 | 60 | 41 | 173 |
| Poland | 71 | 61 | 71 | 203 |
| Pays | 110 | 123 | 21 | 254 |
| Totals | 405 | 422 | 362 | 1189 |

| T. & S. | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|--------|
| Jordan | 1 | 2 | 3 | Totals |
| Halfkenny | 70 | 84 | 87 | 241 |
| Hindle | 106 | 104 | 87 | 297 |
| McMort | 84 | 87 | 97 | 268 |
| Whalen | 91 | 85 | 100 | 276 |
| Totals | 432 | 464 | 475 | 1371 |

| BELADORIES | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Stebels | 59 | 80 | 73 | 212 |
| Curran | 51 | 87 | 72 | 210 |
| Conannon | 52 | 101 | 83 | 236 |
| Allen | 52 | 97 | 85 | 234 |
| Devle | 54 | 76 | 81 | 211 |
| Totals | 428 | 451 | 415 | 1294 |

| NORTH ENDS | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Greenbent | 51 | 81 | 89 | 221 |
| Coleman | 53 | 72 | 82 | 207 |
| Bailey | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Poland | 51 | 92 | 92 | 235 |
| Buzit | 51 | 137 | 110 | 308 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| SOUTH ENDS | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Wilkinson | 51 | 81 | 89 | 221 |
| Richards | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Leach | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Lang | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Wiley | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| AIR LINE | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Spillane | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| McLennan | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| LaRocca | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Arbholz | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Jackson | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| IDEALS | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| McClough | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Donovan | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Thomas | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Panuel | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Norandy | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| BILBOES | | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Kelly | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Norandy | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Teller | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Burdette | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Burdette | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| CONVEYORS | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Denault | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Healy | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| McLennan | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Brennan | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Rossau | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| FOLDING ROOM | | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Vigant | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Chase | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Robinson | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Craze | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Chamou | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| PAPER BOX SHOP | | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Lewis | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| McLennan | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Factor | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Enaud | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Quinn | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| VICTORIES | | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Lyness | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Harley | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Bell | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Jesson | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Horey | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Smith | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

| MERRIMACKS | | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|------|
| Clayton | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| McKibb | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Cloagh | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Burns | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Blackett | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| McQuade | 51 | 72 | 82 | 205 |
| Totals | 426 | 451 | 454 | 1331 |

PIEPER AT LYNN

Lawrence Man Intended to Manage Lynn if He Couldn't Get Franchise

Louis P. Pieper, four years manager of the Lawrence baseball team, will be at Lynn next season. His baseball career so far as Lawrence is concerned, is at an end. Mr. Pieper, together with Eugene B. Fraser, president of the board of directors of the Lynn New England league, has bought the Lynn Amusement company for a little more than \$10,000 for the franchise of the Lynn team. Roy Rock, shortstop of the New

London team of the Eastern association, who is associated with another party, has made an offer to the Lawrence team. If accepted, Rock will play shortstop and manage Lawrence in 1915.

Louis Pieper has evidently become tired of the way the Lawrence fans have treated the ball clubs which he has given them during the past few years. Two pennant winners in the past three years with a near contender in 1913 and another in 1911 is what Pieper has done down river but the gate receipts there have failed to come up to expectations.

Whether or not the Lynn Amusement company had accepted the offer of Messrs. Pieper and Fraser the Lawrence manager would not have spent another season in the down-river city. Arrangements had already been made whereby Pieper was to manage the Lynn club if he could not buy out the franchise.

FOOTBALL GAMES

Many Important Grid-Iron Battles Scheduled for Today

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Old time line rushing tactics were expected to mark the play today on most of the eastern football gridirons which are water-soaked and make the forward pass and other open plays uncertain. As today's games marked the turning point in the season, a majority of coaches had hoped for dry fields to make final test of open play formations.

Of the several important games in the east today that at New Haven, Conn. Yale and Notre Dame attract the most attention because of its inter-sectional flavor and the reputation for strength of the westerners. Harvard will take the field against Tufts at Cambridge with a sub-backfield. Tufts has played three games thus far and has scored 136 points to 15 for its opponents. The leading games today are as follows:

Yale vs. Tufts at Cambridge.
Yale vs. Notre Dame at New Haven.
Princeton vs. Lafayette at Princeton.
Pennsylvania vs. Navy at Philadelphia.

Army vs. Colgate at West Point.
Cornell vs. Bucknell at Ithaca.
Dartmouth vs. Vermont at Hanover.
Carleton vs. Pittsburg at Pittsburg.

Lowell High vs. Nashua High at Lowell.

DUM-DUM BULLETS

Colonel Gordon Alleged to Have Admitted Their Use in the European War

BERLIN, Sept. 23 (Correspondence).—Following up its charges of the use of dum-dum bullets in the French and British armies, the German general staff has issued fac-similes of written statements signed by W. E. Gordon, colonel of the Gordon Highlanders, and by F. H. Neish, lieutenant colonel of the same regiment, covering the issuance to them and other officers of fat-nosed revolver ammunition for their revolvers.

Both officers, who are now prisoners of war at Torgau, Saxony, state that they had buried the questionable revolver ammunition served out to them in regular containers. The German declaration is said to be a lie because he doubted whether its use was permissible.

The statements, which are witnessed by Lieut. Baron von Lersner, late secretary of the German embassy in Washington, and now attached to the general staff, and by Lieut. Baron von Berckheim, follow:

"I was issued Plymouth with revolver ammunition. It was fat-nosed. As I was in doubt about it being correct ammunition and being unable to obtain any definite information from superior authority concerning the matter, I put my revolver ammunition in the ground for four days before Mons (Aug. 23) engaged, and when I was the first time I met the German army. At the same time I placed my revolver in my heavy baggage and never carried it again.

"The revolver ammunition was the same pattern as issued to me and the other officers of the Gordon Highlanders in June last to fire their annual revolver course.

"W. E. Gordon, Colonel, Gordon Highlanders, A. D. C. to the King."

"As regards revolver ammunition, the bullet as issued was a fat-nosed one. The first time I had ever seen this bullet was during this summer at annual practice.

"I make above statement in writing at the request of Baron von Lersner, in a summary of answers I gave him to verbal questions he asked me."

"F. H. Neish, Lieutenant Colonel, "1st Gordon Highlanders," Torgau, 19 September, '14."

Such ammunition, it is declared in the statement of the German general staff, although rejected by these officers, was found in captured British revolvers.

ENJOYABLE WHIST PARTY
A very enjoyable whist party was held at the home of Miss Isabelle Burns in Enneth street last evening with about 20 friends of the young lady in attendance. After an hour of spirited playing the following prizes were awarded: Gentlemen's Mr. Franklin Williams, first; Mr. Frank Murphy, second; Mr. Fred Webster, third; Ladies: Miss Mollie Peterson, first; Miss May Flynn, second; Miss May King, consolation.

The gathering then repaired to the spacious dining room where a delectable and sumptuous buffet lunch was served.

After the lunch, a number of piano solos were listened to, and Miss Madeline Boland, soloist for the Bachelor Girls, won applause with her rendition of "Isle d'Amour." Mr. Thos. Conley gave the reading, "Jim Farnon" and was well received. Miss Burns, the hostess, pleased with several piano solos, and the entire assembly sang in beautiful voices all of the latest classic and popular songs. With the coming of midnight, the party broke up, all vowing it an evening spent most enjoyably.

WED IN SECRET WEDDING OF ROBERT O. TAFT

Miss Madeline White Heroine in Romantic Wedding in Boston

The parents, relatives and intimate friends of Miss Madeline M. White of 88 Belmont avenue, this city, were surprised last night when they learned that she had been the heroine of a that she had been the heroine of a secret marriage celebrated yesterday afternoon with Spencer B. Kennard of 31 Newbury street, Boston.

Both bride and bridegroom are socially prominent. Miss White—or Mrs. Kennard—is the daughter of A. William White, head of the American Hide & Leather company in Ferry St. Daphne Hills, with whom she made his home, and a nephew of Arthur W. Kennard of 451 Beacon street, Boston, a member of the jewelry firm of Hodgson, Kennard & Co. at 25 State street.

The wedding took place in Boston, but the relatives of the young couple, declining to say where or by whom the ceremony was performed. After they had notified their parents and received forgiveness, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard left for New York on the first stage of their wedding journey.

There was no objection on the part of the parents of either the bride or the bridegroom except on the score of their youth. Mr. Kennard is only 22 years old and his wife is two or three years his junior.

They have been friends for the past three years and have been seen together frequently during the past summer at Magnolia where the Whites have their summer home.

During the last month the bride's parents have been living in an apartment hotel in the Back Bay, Boston, and for this reason Mr. Kennard was able to offer his license without the necessity of duplicating it in this city.

None of the bride's intimate friends was aware of her intention and she made no mention of it to them when she attended the Practor-Wadleigh wedding Thursday night.

Mrs. Kennard has been one of the most attractive of the debutantes in Lowell. She is a young woman of striking appearance and has been a devotee of

RELIEF FOR SALEM

Sec'y Garrison Favors Federal Aid—Committee Hopes for \$75,000

SALEM, Oct. 17.—Though the relief committee is still spending about \$200 a day on actual relief, food, clothing and rent, it is probable that not more than \$75,000 of the \$200,000 appropriated by congress and now held up by the war department will be needed to provide help, up to the date now set as the time for the ending of all help, one year from the date of the conflagration of June 25.

It seems probable, also, in the opinion of members of the Salem committee which went to Washington to interview Sec. Garrison last Tuesday, that the amount needed will be ordered turned over by the department. Josiah H. Gifford yesterday told in some detail the story of the conversion of Sec. Garrison, who when the Salem men reached him was of the opinion that no more relief was needed. After the money had been appropriated by congress, it will be remembered, General Duval, the assistant quartermaster general, came to Salem and investigated the situation. It was upon his report that the secretary's opinion had been formed.

The delegation consisted of John B. Tivnan, Christian Lantz, Charles H. Danforth and myself, said Mr. Gifford. "We went first to Congressman Gardner and he took us to Sec. Garrison. Somewhat to our surprise, Sec. Garrison expressed the belief that the emergency fund would be needed and that the funds were not now needed. "Mr. Gardner pointed out the debate over the bill, during which Congressman Fitzgerald had said he was afraid the money would be used to go to the unemployed over the water and to provide them with shelter, food and clothing. To this Mr. Gardner had replied that those were exactly the uses to which the money would be put. "The bill was passed with that understanding," said Mr. Gifford. "Still the secretary seemed to hesitate. Upon that I said to him, Mr. Secretary, let me recall to your mind the situation at Dayton, and your own statement that you simply cut red tape there in every direction and used funds as they were needed. We feel that you would have done the same thing had you been at Salem. You were unfortunately not there, but we did as we felt that you would have done—cut red tape, went ahead and spent money as needed. "We have acted in good faith that you would endorse our action on the theory that it conformed to what you would have done. And we have disbursed what we had in the confidence that this congressional fund would be available when needed. "Sec. Garrison said: That argument impresses me more than anything which has been heretofore advanced. Thereupon he called in the judge advocate general, his legal adviser, and we went over all the details of the situation with him at considerable length.

"In the end the secretary said that if our purposes fell within the legal limitations—upon which point Judge Advocate General Crowther's opinion is to be taken—he could see no reason why we should not be granted such a portion of the \$200,000 as we could show was fairly needed. The statement of our needs is now being prepared; it will go to General Crowther and, with his approval, to the controller of the treasury for the final verdict as to whether he has authority to disburse federal funds for the purposes named. "There is still about \$100,000 on hand in Salem, and the committee estimated that \$75,000 more will clean up the needs of the city.

ARRESTED AS SPY

Boston Minister Had a Thrilling Experience in Belgium

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—The Rev. Albert R. Williams, pastor of the Maverick Congregational church, Central square, East Boston, who was arrested by the Germans and tried as a spy in Brussels, arrived in Boston late last night. He was a passenger on the Baltic, which arrived at New York from England Thursday.

Taken into custody as he sat writing in the Hotel Metropole, Brussels, the East Boston minister was thrown into the German field jail and fed on black bread and water for two days and a night, fearing momentarily to hear the summons to come out and be shot, until the American ambassador, Brand Whitlock, intervened. Then he was tried and released.

CHASING SISTER

Fred Henkel Hopes to Overtake Marie, Who is headed for Austria

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Frederick Henkel, whose sister Marie fled from home here Thursday with borrowed money to go to the bedside of her wounded lover in Austria, caught a fast train in pursuit yesterday. "Are you going to bring her back?" he was asked. "No; I'm going to help her," he replied. Miss Henkel, aged 23 years, met Count Wilhelm Feodor Hinz von Zagred while touring Europe with her mother last summer. A few days ago she received a letter full of endearments and mentioning that the writer had been seriously wounded in a brush with a regiment of Cossacks. "Send me something to remind me of you," the young count, who is an Austrian officer, said in his letter. Miss Henkel decided to appear in person as a reply, but her parents would not supply the funds. Yesterday she pawned some trinkets and her girl friends made contributions, and she found herself with money enough for passage to New York, a steerage ticket to Genoa, \$25 for passage from Genoa to Trieste and \$5 for meals and incidentals. Her friends, knowing that \$5 will not go far on a dining car, provided her with a supply of sandwiches, pickles, minced ham and other edibles. She boarded a train for New York last night and was seen at Ashtabula, O., today, in the day coach, where she said that nothing could stop her from going to her sweetheart. Brother Frederick carries with him plenty of money, so that his sister will be able to travel first-class.

CARD OF THANKS

To the many kind friends who endeavored to console us in the hour of our affliction, we, the undersigned, wish to express our heartfelt appreciation and gratitude, also for the beautiful floral tributes and spiritual bouquets. The kindness of the Ladies of the G. A. R. the Holy Name society, and Court Merrimack, and Foresters of America.

Signed
Mr. and Mrs. William Holly,
Mrs. Julia Holly,
Mary E. Holly.

BANGAWAY BOYS

Gov. Walsh Raises Ban on Hunting—Fire Danger Over

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Gov. Walsh, in a proclamation issued late yesterday afternoon, declares that as a sufficient amount of rain has fallen to reduce the present danger of disastrous fires in fields and woodlands, the open season on upland game is again in force. The proclamation is as follows: "For the first time in the history of the commonwealth it became the duty of the governor, as provided in chapter 123, acts of 1909, to suspend the open season on upland game for the purpose of diminishing the risk of forest fires. Sufficient rain having fallen to reduce the present danger of disastrous fires in fields and woodlands, hereby proclaim that the open season is again in force.

"I should, however, be doing less than my full duty if I did not take this opportunity to urge upon all who go into the woods and fields, whether on business or pleasure, to exercise increased caution in disposition of fire, and to extend more thoughtful consideration of the rights of others. "Therefore, in proclaiming that all the laws relative to open season which were suspended by my proclamation of Oct. 13 are again in force, I urge all citizens to cooperate with each other to the end that our commonwealth may lead not alone in the abundance of useful wild life and forests, but may continue to be known by its careful respect for law."

THE REPORT OF BIRTHS

- Sept. 21.—To Mr. and Mrs. Simon Methaville, of 8 Chapel street, a son.
- 27.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Christensen, of 151 South street, a daughter.
- 29.—To Mr. and Mrs. Antoni Jasiewicz, of 6 Howard avenue, a daughter.
- Oct. 1.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Chamberlain, of 22 Branch street, a son.
- 2.—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert J. Taylor, of 4 Montclair avenue, a daughter.
- 3.—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Bilofski, of 12 1/2 West street, a son.
- 4.—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Carrigan, of 12 East Pine street, a son.
- 5.—To Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Deschenes, of 21 Woodcock street, a daughter.
- 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. James O'Flaherty, of 82 Colonial avenue, a daughter.
- 8.—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Markos, of 52 Fenwick street, a daughter.
- 9.—To Mr. and Mrs. Borjavek Fortin, of 666 Market street, a son.
- 10.—To Mr. and Mrs. Alde Gellman, of 131 Fremont street, a son.
- 11.—To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Harty, of 143 Pleasant street, a son.
- 12.—To Mr. and Mrs. William Burke, of 133 Bowden street, a daughter.
- 13.—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kearney, of 8 rear of 32 High street, a son.
- 14.—To Mr. and Mrs. Siford Vendetti, of 301 Lakeview avenue, a daughter.
- 15.—To Mr. and Mrs. Louis Boudreau, of 1212 Broadway street, a son.
- 16.—To Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Gratin, of 319 Adams street, a son.
- 17.—To Mr. and Mrs. Edmund Boland, of 87 Gershom avenue, a son.
- 18.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Ham, of 12 E. street, a daughter.
- 19.—To Mr. and Mrs. Marie E. Harty, of 18 Liffey avenue, a daughter.
- 20.—To Mr. and Mrs. Pierre Levesque, of 4 Liffey avenue, a daughter.
- 21.—To Mr. and Mrs. Lewis Boudreau, of 158 Hall street, a son.
- 22.—To Mr. and Mrs. John Rogate, of 3 West street, a son.
- 23.—To Mr. and Mrs. Peter J. Ryne, of 34 Adams street, a daughter.
- 24.—To Mr. and Mrs. Omer St. Arnaud, of 15 Liberty street, a daughter.
- 25.—To Mr. and Mrs. George Kingdon, of 100 Commonwealth street, a son.
- 26.—To Mr. and Mrs. George E. Harty, of 4 Jefferson street, a daughter.
- 27.—To Mr. and Mrs. William C. Grant, of 53 West Third street, a daughter.
- 28.—To Mr. and Mrs. Charles Harpo, of 10 Union street, a son.
- 29.—To Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ducharme, of 63 Tremont street, a daughter.
- 30.—To Mr. and Mrs. Robert Chenavert, of 46 Exeter street, a daughter.
- 31.—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas F. Gallagher, of 44 South street, a son.
- 1.—To Mr. and Mrs. Albert Miller, of 4 Liberty street, a daughter.
- 2.—To Mr. and Mrs. Michael Kierce, of 21 West street, a daughter.
- 3.—To Mr. and Mrs. Herbert J. Perham, of 10 Groton street, a son.
- 4.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jeremy Jarpulo, of 58 Elm street, a daughter.
- 5.—To Mr. and Mrs. Joseph J. Velllette, of 136 Moody street, a son.
- 6.—To Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Deschenes, of 77 Merrimack street, a son.
- 7.—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Suh, of 10 Union street, a daughter.
- 8.—To Mr. and Mrs. William A. Mitchell, of 52 Clark road, a daughter.
- 9.—To Mr. and Mrs. Kathleen Leavasseur, of 50 A street, a daughter.
- 10.—To Mr. and Mrs. Jules Morrisette, of 155 Ludlum street, a daughter.
- 11.—To Mr. and Mrs. Edward Michaud, of 25 Howard street, a daughter.
- 12.—To Mr. and Mrs. Frank Mussey, 115 Hastings street, Oct. 15, a son.

FIREMEN'S BALL

The local fire department is arranging to hold an annual ball. The affair is planned on a large scale for Thanksgiving eve at the State armory in Westford street and invitations will be sent out to public officials, officers of the state militia, fire chiefs from all over the state, and others. Tabors' Sixth regiment band will furnish the music and the armory will be elaborately decorated for the occasion. The committee in charge of the arrangements is made up of Thomas Saunders, president; Arthur Strout, vice-president and treasurer; Edward P. Cunningham, secretary; Harold Foster, Capt. Joseph D'Amour, James Lammon, William Lane, Patrick Mooney, Charles Crowley, Roger Hayes, J. J. Murphy, Capt. Herbert Merrill and G. H. McDermott.

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- SUNDAY**
Breakfast
Baked Tripe
Creamed Potatoes
Rice Muffins
Coffee
- Dinner
Fried Chicken
Creamy Gravy
Bean Fritters
Pineapple and Cherry Salad
Cafe Parfait
- Supper
Sardine Salad
Corn Toast
Hot Chocolate with Whipped Cream
- Breakfast
RICE MUFFINS—Mix one cup of milk with one cup of flour, one egg, one cup of flaked rice, two teaspoons of baking powder, the same of butter, and a little salt. Bake in a hot oven 15 minutes.
- Dinner
FRIED CHICKEN—Joint the chicken and drop each piece in boiling fat. Keep boiling until the chicken can be pierced with a fork and is a nice brown.
- CREAMY GRAVY—Melt two tablespoons of butter and stir in a table-spoon of flour. Keep stirring until smooth and add a cup and a half of milk and stir until thick.
- BEAN FRITTERS—Mix two cups of chopped beans with half a cup of milk, the same of flour, two eggs and a teaspoon of baking powder. Fry in hot oil.
- PINEAPPLE AND CHERRY SALAD—Mix a cup each of chopped cherries and pineapple with a mayonnaise. Add a quarter of a cup of chopped nuts and serve on lettuce.
- CAFE PARFAIT—Whip one cup of cream, add a cup of very strong coffee, a cup of powdered sugar and turn into a mold. Let stand three hours. Unmold and serve.
- Supper
SARDINE SALAD—Drain the fish, place on lettuce and pour over a dressing made by mixing the oil in which the fish was packed with two table-spoons of tarragon vinegar and a little dry mustard.
- COGNAC TOAST—Boll one cup of corn, half a cup of milk, a pinch of soda, and thicken with a little dissolved flour. Have ready thin slices of buttered toast and pour over the hot corn.
- MONDAY**
Breakfast
Tokay Grapes
Sausages in Batter
Toast
Luncheon
Coffee
- Dinner
Reheated Rabbit
Soft Gingerbread
Toast
Cheese
Cocoa
- Supper
Steak with Bananas
Mashed Potatoes
Celery Salad
Fruite Brown Betty
- Breakfast
SAUSAGES IN BATTER—Mix four table-spoons of flour with two cups of milk, one egg and a little salt. Beat one minute and add a pound of uncooked sausages, cut in small pieces, turn into a baking dish and bake until brown in a quick oven.
- Luncheon
SOFT GINGERBREAD—Mix a cup of molasses, half a cup of sugar, one and a half cups of flour, one egg, a heaping teaspoon of soda, a teaspoon of ginger, a heaping tablespoon of lard and two cups of flour. Bake in a moderate oven.
- Dinner
STEAK WITH BANANAS—Broil the steak and place on a hot platter. While broiling the steak cut in half four bananas and lay in a pan of smoking hot butter. Fry one minute or until brown and then turn. Lay in strings on the hot steak.
- CELERY BAKED—Strip enough celery to make one cup, add a table-spoon of sweet peppers, the same of green peppers and mix with a boiled dressing.
- PRUNE BROWN BETTY—Cover the bottom of a buttered baking dish the depth of one-half an inch with stale bread crumbs; then add two layers of dried prunes which have been dipped in a little white sugar, enough to remove the pits. Dust with pulverized cinnamon and nutmeg, cover with another layer of crumbs; then with white sauce and add one cupful of hot milk. Bake in a moderate oven for one-half an hour, or until the top is brown and crusty and the milk absorbed. Serve with hard sauce.
- TUESDAY**
Breakfast
Stewed Prunes
Hot Biscuit
Luncheon
Coffee
Hot Biscuit
- Dinner
Olive Omelet
Gingerbread
Cocoa
- Supper
Boiled Mutton with India Sauce
Boiled New Potatoes
Creamed Asparagus
Watercress Salad
Cocoanut Rice Mold
- Breakfast
HOT BISCUIT—Mix three cups of flour, two table-spoons of lard, two table-spoons of baking powder, one cup and a half of milk. Turn out on a floured board, roll lightly, cut with a small cutter and brush over each with melted butter. Bake in a hot oven fifteen minutes.
- Luncheon
OLIVE OMELET—Beat four eggs, add four table-spoons of boiling water, the same of chopped olives and a little salt and pepper. Let a table-spoon of butter melt, turn in the egg mixture. Fry five minutes. Fold and serve.
- Dinner
BOILED MUTTON WITH SAUCE—Wash carefully, cover with water and boil until tender. Drain and serve with a sauce made by mixing two table-spoons of calf sauce, with four table-spoons of mayonnaise, and a half a teaspoon of curry powder.
- CREAMED ASPARAGUS—Cut into pieces an inch long. Boll, drain, cover with water and boil for ten minutes. Add a little dissolved flour and some butter, pepper, and salt. Cook one minute.
- COCONUT RICE MOLD—Boll two cups of milk and three table-spoons of rice until tender. Add two table-spoons of sugar, a teaspoon of gelatine dissolved in half a cup of boiling milk, and a quarter of a cup of grated coconut. Cool and stir in half a cup of cream beaten stiff.
- WEDNESDAY**
Breakfast
Stewed Figs
Boiled Rice
Creamed Toast
Luncheon
Coffee
- Dinner
Tomato Soup
White Bread and Butter
Sour Milk Cake
Tea
- Supper
Cold Mutton
Mashed Potatoes
Fried Eggplant
Beef Salad
Butterscotch Pie
- Breakfast
STEWED FIGS—Cut each fig in four
- pieces. Add a little sugar, cover with cold water, simmer until tender and serve, either with or without cream.
- Luncheon
SOUP MILK CAKE—Mix one cup of brown sugar, one cup of butter, one cup of sour milk, two cups of flour, a teaspoon and a half of soda, half a teaspoon each of cinnamon and cloves, and one cup of raisins. Bake in a moderate oven.
- Dinner
FRIED EGG-PLANT—Pare and cut the egg plant in strips as you would for French fried potatoes. Lay in cold water half an hour. Drain and fry in deep boiling fat.
- BEST SALAD—Cut cold boiled beets in dice and serve on lettuce with a French dressing.
- BUTTERSCOTCH PIE—Brown a piece of butter and to this add a scant cup of brown sugar and four table-spoons of milk. Mix one egg with a cup of flour with a little milk. Add the beaten yolk of one egg and stir into the hot butter and milk. Boll until thick. Make a rich crust, fill with the mixture, bake in a skillet from the white of an egg and brown in the oven.
- THURSDAY**
Breakfast
Toast
Luncheon
Coffee
- Dinner
Toast
Mutton Hash
Luncheon
Tomato Timbales
Lettuce Sandwiches
Tea
- Supper
Broiled Lamb Chops
Mashed Potatoes
Pepper Salad
Cherry Glace
- Breakfast
MUTTON HASH—Chop mutton fine to make two cups. Chop a little fat and enough cold potatoes to make three cups. Mix together with a little milk, add a table-spoon of butter, fry on (H) thoroughly cooked and brown. Turn and brown on the other side.
- Luncheon
TOMATO TIMBLES—Boll two cups of tomatoes and half an onion, also minutes; thicken with a table-spoon of dissolved flour. Cool, add three beaten eggs and fill small buttered molds. Bake in a pan of hot water and bake until firm like custard.
- Dinner
BROILED LAMB CHOPS—Broil over a quick fire until done. Spread with melted butter to which has been added a little chopped parsley.
- MASHED POTATOES—Pare and boll until tender. Drain and mash with a quarter cup of butter, a little butter and pepper and salt.
- PEPPER SALAD—Shred three green peppers and lay for half an hour in an equal part of olive oil and vinegar. Just before serving add a teaspoon of chili sauce to the dressing.
- CHERRY GLACE—Boll two pinches of water and one of sugar 15 minutes; then add two table-spoons of granulated gelatin. Use one cup of water and the juice of two lemons, the stiffly beaten white of an egg, and four table-spoons of whipped cream. Put a little of this at a time into individual molds, cover with a layer of sweetened, pitted cherries and another layer of gelatin mixture. Continue till the mold is filled. Chill and serve with whipped cream.
- FRIDAY**
Breakfast
Baked Quinces
Toast
Luncheon
Coffee
- Dinner
Baked Quinces
Fried Potatoes
Toast
Luncheon
Salmon Croquettes
Potato Chips
Graham Bread
Coke
Cocoa
- Supper
Oyster Soup
Candied Sweet Potatoes
Fried Cod
Apple Fritters
Banana Shortcake
- Breakfast
BAKED QUINCES—Cut out the blossom end of each quince, wash and take out centers. Mix together a little ginger, clove, cinnamon and sugar. Fill centers with quince pieces in a pan with a little water (the same as for apples) and bake. Serve with honey.
- BROILED HERRING—Soak in lukewarm water over night. Wipe dry and broil over a brisk fire. Just before serving pour over a table-spoon of melted butter.
- FRIED POTATOES—Cut cold boiled potatoes in slices and fry brown in hot drippings. Add a teaspoon of chopped parsley.
- Luncheon
SALMON CROQUETTES—Mix two cups of flaked salmon with two table-spoons of chopped parsley. Melt a table-spoon of butter, stir in the same of flour, half a cup of milk and boll until thick. Dip each slice into the batter when cold, form into croquettes and fry in hot fat.
- Dinner
OYSTER SOUP—Boll three cups of milk, add a pint of oysters, two table-spoons of butter and boll until the edges of the oysters curl. Season and serve.
- CANDIED SWEET POTATOES—Pare, boll the potatoes, remove the skin and cut in long slices. Lay these in a buttered pan, dot with bits of butter and sprinkle with granulated sugar. Add more butter as it dries in the pan and bake the potatoes with it until they are well browned.
- APPLE FRITTERS—Peel and core three sour cooking apples; cut them into slices about a quarter of an inch thick; dip each slice into frying batter so as to completely cover it with batter; drop one by one into hot fat and fry to a golden brown.
- BANANA SHORTCAKE—Mix a table-spoon of lard with the same of butter. Add four cups of flour, two table-spoons of baking powder, and milk to make it as thick as biscuits. Bake in a round tin. When done cut in half, spread with butter and sliced banana and pile high with whipped cream.
- SATURDAY**
Breakfast
Pineapple Omelet
Toast
Luncheon
Coffee
- Dinner
Curried Eggs with Peas
Toasted Crackers
Lemonade
Tarts
- Supper
Scute of Veal
Creamed Potatoes
Fried Carrots
Cherry Salad
Lemon Pie
- Breakfast
PINEAPPLE OMELET—Beat two eggs until light, then add two table-spoons of water and a table-spoon of melted butter. Turn in a hot buttered pan and cook until the omelet is firm, then add two table-spoons of grated pineapple.
- CURRIED EGGS WITH PEAS—Boll hard as many eggs as you need, and while they are boiling make a cream sauce, adding a table-spoon of curry powder. A little of the water in which the eggs are boiled, in the middle of a platter, pour over the sauce and

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Few women realize what a wonderful effect mind and temperament, or that one of the greatest factors in retaining young is the habit of always looking on the bright side of things and cultivating a capacity for enjoying everything in life, small pleasures as well as great.

Some people possess this capacity naturally, but any one can make an attempt to cultivate it.

The aging lines about your mouth are purely a matter of habit. You follow the muscles around your mouth to sag through indulging in discontent and ill temper.

Every one can feel, without consulting the mirror, when the mouth is drooping; and then is the time to correct the downward curve of the muscles.

To remove the aging lines about the mouth, use adhesive plaster. Curve the lips upward in a smile. Then damp and fix a piece of adhesive plaster, cut the shape of a half moon, on either side of the mouth.

Leave them in this position for several hours. If worn during the day or they can be applied at night and left on till next morning, whichever is most convenient.

B. & M. MILEAGE RATES

FRES. JUSTIS HOLDS THEM TO BE RIGHT—ACTION IN FEDERAL COURT FOR PROMPT DECISION

CONCORD, N. H., Oct. 17.—Pres. Justis of the Boston & Maine came here yesterday and paid his respects to Gov. Feltner and the members of the public service commission. He expressed his regret that the decision of the railroad not to accept the stipulations of the act of 1913 had been construed to mean that the road had agreed to accept the rate schedules prepared by the public service commission during the past year.

He said he understands that, with one or two exceptions, the schedules now being examined are in force.

Asked what attitude the Boston & Maine purposes to take in connection with the suspension of the tariffs increasing the freight book rate from 2 to 2 1/2 cents a mile, Mr. Justis stated: "In carrying out the suggestions made by the conference of New England railroad commissioners in their report on the Boston & Maine railroad and also the suggestions of the Interstate commerce commission, the Boston & Maine, along with other railroads, Sept. 1, filed tariffs fixing the rate on freight books at 2 1/2 cents. "The public service commission of New Hampshire suspended the tariff which relates to mileage books used in connection with state travel because of the existence of a statute in New Hampshire requiring railroads to issue mileage books at the rate of two cents.

"I understand that the commission, in suspending the tariff, did not recede from the position which it took in connection with the other state commissioners, that an increase in the mileage rate to 2 1/2 cents would be reasonable, but that they felt compelled to follow the statute.

"In order to test the constitutionality of this statute the Boston & Maine will apply to the federal court in the district of New Hampshire for an order restraining the enforcement of the commission's order. The question involved is the constitutionality of the statute under the federal constitution. For this reason it seemed proper to test the statute in the United States courts, which alone have final jurisdiction.

"Another reason actuating the railroad in bringing the action in the federal court is that the most decided court would be much more prompt than if the action were brought in the state court, because in case of an adverse decision by the state court it would be two or three years before the question could be finally passed upon by the United States supreme court.

"It is probably unnecessary to call attention to a further reason and that the need of the Boston & Maine for increased revenue, because of the fact that the railroad did not earn its fixed charges by more than \$2,000,000 the last fiscal year is well understood."

WIFE AND BABY MISSING

NASHUA MAN DESERTED FOR SECOND TIME—FIRST WIFE DISAPPEARED YEARS AGO

NASHUA, N. H., Oct. 17.—Frank A. Whidden of Williams street, reported yesterday that his wife, Mrs. Birdie Whidden, and their 1-year-old baby have disappeared and that he has no knowledge of their whereabouts.

This is the second wife of Whidden to disappear. Six years ago Whidden's first wife left him suddenly, abandoning their two small children. The second wife left the husband at work one day while Whidden was at work. No trace of her whereabouts has been found after a thorough investigation locally.

MARANTVILLE AT FITCHBURG

Clever Little Shortstop Tendered an Informal Reception by Friends—May Go into Vaudeville

FITCHBURG, Oct. 17.—Walter Marantville, the shortstop on the Boston Braves, the world's champions, was tendered an informal reception by several of his friends here last night at the home of Cornelius Connor, 13 Lincoln street.

The modest little ball player came here to meet his fiancée, Miss Elizabeth Shea of Springfield, who has been the guest of Miss Josephine Connor since the final game in the world's series.

On Saturday Marantville will meter over to Albany to meet Capt. John Evers of the Braves and on Sunday expects to play with Evers on the Troy baseball team against Utica.

Marantville plans to return to Springfield after the game and remain there until about Nov. 3, when he and Capt. Evers will probably accept a contract on a vaudeville circuit.

Marantville, when asked if he would

STREET CONGESTED

Tenants and Property Owners Agree on Rule For Middle Street For Proper New Cords

At a meeting of tenants and owners of buildings in Middle street held in the board of trade rooms yesterday afternoon the following traffic rule was agreed upon for presentation to the municipal council to be inserted in the new traffic rules:

"No vehicle shall be allowed to stand unattended in Middle street for a period longer than 20 consecutive minutes except for the purpose of loading and unloading."

The Middle street men will ask the city to establish this rule the whole length of the street and also much prefer that a 20-minute rule be established for Palmer street.

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SOME ENCOURAGING FACTS

Without in any way losing sight of the losses, actual and possible, resulting from the war, one who follows the business data as published in government reports and in trade journals must be convinced of the fact that the tide of prosperity is turning in this direction. In the aggregate, not only is the trade balance in favor of the United States but it is increasing in a proportion that engenders confidence. Total imports and exports as summed up by Assistant Secretary Peters of the department of commerce show that in the period from Oct. 5 to Oct. 13, the trade balance in our favor was \$5,568,958. Despite this uncontrovertible fact, political speakers and writers still declare that the tariff turned the balance of trade against us. The department of commerce has the figures to prove that the balance of trade has been in our favor every week since the tariff bill went into effect, and from present auguries it may be predicted that business will improve from day to day.

One of the strongest factors that makes for depressed business is the natural diffidence that keeps money from general circulation. The closing of the stock markets, the shipment of gold to Europe, the predictions of hard times and the undue caution displayed by banking interests had a bad effect on business generally and the public is showing a disposition to avoid any unnecessary purchases and to eschew anything savoring of speculation. Business suffers accordingly, for in the last analysis business depends on the buying and selling that maintain the individual family.

That public diffidence is passing is the prediction of the financial interests. Savings bank deposits are increasing; one New York bank reports an increase of \$50,000 a day. Public confidence is, therefore, becoming reestablished and the conviction is growing that there is no reason for fear. The efforts of the secretary of the treasury to start money in circulation for the aid of legitimate industry have had a beneficial effect, and the predicted opening of the stock markets will restore confidence to a still greater degree.

Manufacturing in general seems to be having a boom owing to war conditions. Shipping has been restored to an almost normal basis and all the countries at war as well as the non-combatants are our customers. Large orders for blankets, duck, sweaters, saddle leather and shoes have been received. Grain and cotton shipments are resuming their usual proportions. The New England mills are unusually busy. Active interests are striving to meet the demands of South America and other neutral countries that were heretofore supplied largely by the warring nations. It must not be forgotten that our gains in this respect are counterbalanced to some degree by actual losses in the countries at war, but the trade balance before referred to indicates that so far the gains have towered above the losses. With better cooperation between the government and private business the business increase in the near future should be notable.

The principal sufferers because of the unavoidable business dullness have been the lesser business interests—the small manufacturers, the merchants. These must realize that so closely interwoven are business relationships the world over that a disturbance in England, France or Germany will have a direct influence here. They must wait as patiently as they can for the public confidence to reassert itself, as it must when it is realized that the loss of the old world must be to a large extent the gain of the new. Things are now righting themselves and those who have made the sacrifice cheerfully will be all the more rewarded. It is the duty of all to talk, act and think optimistically until the war cloud removes its shadow from this country, banished by the sun of renewed prosperity.

TAX RATE LOGIC

One does not talk long on municipal affairs with Lowell men of business at the present time without being reminded of one fact, viz: that the high tax rate is the greatest stumbling block to the present administration. With the indifference that follows a long term of municipal abuses and after having realized that the standard required by the Lowell electorate in the past was not very high, a great many of our people got into a state of disquieted passivity, paying their taxes more or less complacently and taking little interest in how such taxes were spent. These were the men who were fooled most by the present government which was long on promises and short in results. Confident and optimistic, many excellent Lowell people waited patiently for some sign of genuine economy and retrenchment. When the department appropriations were made in excess of the alleged "extravagant" regime preceding, a little doubt was born in the public mind; when all manner of petty expenditures were piled up, small individually but great collectively, the doubt grew stronger. When public employees were unduly favored, suspicion became defined. When the tax bills were sent out, the doubt blossomed into disgust and disappointment. Speak now to our local business men about the economic administration we are having and they will say "Never again" in a dozen different ways.

Lowell is waking up to the fact that municipal government is not the private business of a few men acting in vain to throw dust in the eyes of the taxpayers. It is the business of everybody, calling for a great deal of action and action of the most open and honorable variety. It is a business, the neglect of which brings trouble and future expense to the entire community. The story of the local high school in particular is the story of Lowell in general. We are too apt to be led astray by slight personal and trivial things and to forget the main fact, viz: that the management of any Lowell department is a big job, calling for big men who are competent and whose competence is turned in the right direction by sincerity, honesty, and public spirit. Under the direction of men of this type, Lowell would not object to a reasonable tax rate or any other requirement that brought a

proper return. It is when the public debt piles up while the city slides away behind that we fail to see the logic of things as they are.

TAFT SUPPORTS WILSON

If there is any American who thinks President Wilson's stand with regard to the war in Europe too idealistic or too cautious, let him reflect that such a sane and experienced individual as ex-President Taft has just come out in public approval of it. Speaking before the Providence chamber of commerce a few days ago the eminent and patrician statesman flatly endorsed President Wilson's attitude of neutrality and urged that no public expression be made contrary to it. The country has seen already and will see still more strongly as time goes on that the advice of Taft and Wilson is pretty good advice to take at critical occasions. It is advice born of ability, experience in statesmanship and unquestioned Americanism.

If a strong contrast is needed to the public appeals of the two distinguished gentlemen mentioned, it is afforded by recent declarations of Dr. Charles W. Eliot and Congressman Gardner, who not only disregarded the appeals of their presidential shamefully but made speeches that their respective positions make extremely dangerous. Dr. Eliot set a very bad example in declaring that America would aid one of the warring parties if necessary, and Congressman Gardner went a great deal further than was strictly needed in advocating a strong navy and other offensive and defensive preparations. The Harvard ex-president has talked himself out of most of his former usefulness and the country would be the better if he gave his tongue a long rest. As for Mr. Gardner, he needs to learn lessons of a broader nationality than he has yet revealed. As individuals we may hope and pray for English success or for German success, with all propriety as we please, but we do a dangerous thing when we speak for America at such a time of delirium.

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and danger as the present. Let us practice "safety first" and be strictly neutral in all our public declarations. The president of the United States alone has a right to speak for this country in such matters.

THE GALLANT FRENCH

Owing to the fact that most of the stories relating to the attacks and defenses of the allies come through official London channels, the British part in anti-German campaigns has been over-emphasized, unconsciously perhaps, but from time to time a story is cabled across that bears eloquent testimony to the bravery and self-sacrifice of the French infantry and artillery. For massed lightning, indifference to slaughter and stoic resistance the Germans are unequalled, but the French hold the palm for brilliant achievements and unexpected initiative.

One of the most thrilling incidents of the war was the crossing of the river Lys by 2600 French cuirassiers on Thursday. The Germans had fortified the river banks and placed machine guns at every point where a pontoon bridge could be erected. Where the river could not be bridged they neglected to take any precautions. A large body of French cavalry rode to the river bank in the darkness, swam across and then wholly unexpected they swept into the unprepared ranks of the astonished Germans and took the town of Betstree. The brave achievement recalls the daring exploit of Young McMeekin, who saved a French army in Algiers by swimming a flaming river while he was yet a young man.

MR. MELLE TESTIFIES

When Charles S. Mellen, former president of the New York, New Haven and Hartford railroad, retired from that position, he scarcely anticipated the trials and troubles that awaited him. Scarcely a week has passed since then without some variety of a railroad, state or federal investigation into the affairs of the New Haven and its connection with other railroads. The headline "Mr. Mellen testifies" is becoming one of the stock headlines and judging by the results of all the investigations the poor man will be testifying until the trumpet of the summoning angel sounds—and perhaps after. He has now been testifying for seven days before the federal grand jury of New York. In the interests of humanity he ought to be permitted to tell the whole story to a graphophone with a reproduction attachment. The record would be a good seller and would satisfy all practical purposes—except cross-examination.

PANAMA SLIDES

A great land slide from the slopes of the Culebra cut has just stopped traffic through the Panama canal temporarily and once again the great dredges must be put in operation before business is normal. During the

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construction of the canal these slides were one of the most persistent troubles encountered, and there may be many more before the menace is at last removed. Owing to the nature of the soil the excavating at the bottom has started the surface of the slopes and though many remedies have been suggested, Col. Goethals has adopted none of them. He evidently believes that the best thing to do is to permit the slides until the hills recover their stability. Consequently the canal business may be held up every little while until the immense dredges clear away the refuse that falls into the canal periodically.

England must be particularly provoked at the slay in which a German submarine steals out every little while and sinks a British cruiser. A set battle between the two fleets would result in victory for England without doubt but with German invention under the sea and in the air, there is danger to the proudest dreadnought.

EDITORIAL COMMENT

BOSTON THIEVES

Pocket-picking is a regular business in Boston. Professionals keep everlastingly at the game, varying their appearances in chosen territory, while the amateurs help to swell the number of victims. Things have reached that pass that police reports do not give other than a slight idea of the extent to which this theft is carried on. The nature of this crime, pocket-picking, is after money, either as carried in the roll or placed in purses. It is a dirty work in its character, more skillful having practiced to that extent that when once a victim is marked for despoilation, it is merely a question of a few moments when the placing will generally be accomplished.—Salem News.

DISEASE PREVENTION

We have got pretty well over the old notion that sickness is a providential visitation and that epidemics are inevitable as the ocean tides. We prevent malaria now by exterminating the mosquitoes. Yellow fever is vanquished in the same way, instead of resorting uselessly to drain swamps and pour kerosene on stagnant water. Typhoid is forestalled by inoculation, like measles. Fresh air and nourishing food prevail over most cases of tuberculosis. Bubonic plague has fewer terrors since we have learned to kill the rats that carry the fleas that carry the germs.—Lynn Telegram.

BASEBALL PAYS

Captain Johnny Evers of the Boston Nationals cleaned up about \$40,000 as his share of the season's work. No wonder so many young men are fired with ambition to play professional baseball.—Portland Express.

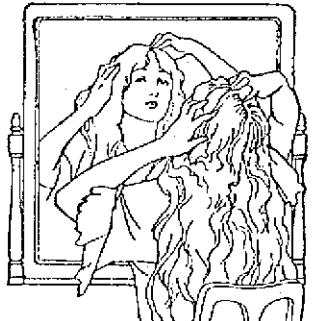
WAR OF SURPRISES

The secret of Germany's aim to control the south coast of the English channel is now out. The Krupp gun works are now making bigger guns than the siege guns which surprised the world, weapons that will hurl projectiles under any conditions. They are to sink the British warships in the path of the Kaiser's battle craft, which will also be equipped with bigger guns than England's. This is a certainly a war of surprises, and that is often the secret of success in war.—Burlington Free Press.

FOREST FIRES

The burning over of four hundred acres of timber and woodland in the neighboring town of Merrimack, which is supposed to have been caused by a burning wad from the gun of a hunter in the vicinity of Pennicuck pond.

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If Germany can reduce the British naval strength by submarine sallies, she could take chances in a great sea battle.

One effect of war and high prices is to teach people the value of thrift and prudent management; the strongest persons are not those fed on the most expensive meats, and in many families enough food is wasted daily to feed a family less fortunate.

Automobilists are still talking about the holes here and there in the streets, holes that for their autos and their feelings. The growth will continue until such holes are filled.

If the allies really wish to put the Germans to flight why do they continue to hammer their left and right wings?

Now that the series is over, what of the war?

affords an impressive object lesson in the importance of avoiding anything that may contribute to such a fire. The extremely dry condition of the woods at this time makes special caution imperative if enormous losses of property, with possible loss of human life, is to be prevented.—Manchester Leader.

BOMB THROWING

Bombs in two New York churches—not war time bombs, thrown for military effect or cultural glory, but placed secretly, in the dark, in the peaceful places in this most peaceful town should shroud peaceful of countries. Perhaps, though, we should be thankful bomb throwing is not a national policy.—Brockton Times.

SOCIAL AND FRATERNAL

The Lowell nest, No. 1255, Order of Owls, held a most important business meeting followed by a delightful concert and entertainment in its quarters in Elys hall, Thursday evening. The meeting was largely attended. President J. E. MacCallum presided. There were present many visiting members from the Keene, N. H., and Nashua, N. H., nests, some of whom took part in the evening's program. The usual large class of candidates was initiated, the full ritual of the order being used in the ceremony. Another class initiation is planned for the first meeting night in November as there were several candidates' names proposed and balloted for.

Supreme President J. W. Talbot in the paper read, congratulated the Lowell nest upon the fine showing made for the quarter just closed. The Lowell nest still has the largest membership of any in New England and is the supreme president's "pet nest" in the east. This distinction, the members propose to hold by constant and energetic work.

The concert and entertainment given was the first of a series arranged for the coming season. The new Hampshire guests were then called upon and spoke most interestingly of the good work that is being done by the order in the Granite state. The visitors received a fine reception.

The officers of the Lowell nest who spoke words of encouragement to the members were Past President E. M. Bowers, J. Walter Bowers, Charles W. Richards, President J. E. MacCallum, Treasurer J. A. Bulley, Vice President R. J. Flynn, Thomas B. Boucher, J. J. Hartwell and others.

Order of Protection

Elgin lodge, 168, New England Order of Protection, met in regular session in Veritas hall, Branch street, Thursday evening, Oct. 15. After the regular meeting the first whist party of a series which this lodge is holding on the third Thursday of each month, was held and the scores of the players indicated from the start there would be a contest for the prizes. After two hours' playing the prizes were awarded as follows:

First ladies: Mrs. Ida Johnson; second was a tie between Miss Anna MacDougall and Mrs. Colby Meyers, but a draw declared Mrs. Meyers the winner and consolation went to Mrs. Margaret McFarren. First gentlemen: Dr. W. L. Romboough; second, Mr. Wm. O'Brien; consolation, Mr. Arthur Meyers.

The second of the series will be held Nov. 19 at the same place.

Merrimack Valley Lodge

With a large attendance of members and guests, the 22d anniversary of Merrimack Valley lodge, No. 1136, I. O. O. F., M. V., was held last evening in Griffin hall. The following program was given: Vocal solo, under the direction of William Edney, chairman.

Piano solo, William Swift, vocal solo, Fred Mulgrave, selections, Pawtucket Pipe and Drum corps; cornet solo, Edward Isherwood; remarks, Joseph Brown; duet, William Edney and Robinson Wham; songs, George W. Edney, Fred Hattie, William Piggott and Frank Carlick.

Merrimack Valley lodge was instituted Oct. 20, 1892, with William H. Holgate as the first noble grand. At the present time there are about 240 members, including 12 of the original charter members.

The officers of Merrimack Valley lodge now are: William N. Axon, noble grand; David Gordon, vice grand; George W. Ingalls, P. S.; Charles W. Culham, treasurer; Joseph Pearson, grand master; John Curran, E. S.

The success of the occasion last evening was due to the following committee: William N. Axon, noble grand; Joseph Pearson, M. K. Johnson, Fred Walker and John Curran.

Cheney-Middlesex Lodge

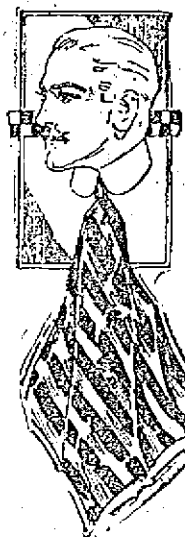
A large number of members of Cheney-Middlesex lodge, K. of P., attended the annual letter night of the organization held last evening in Highland hall in Branch street. The hall was appropriately decorated for the occasion, the lodge colors and American flags being prevalent. Among the visitors present were: Grand Chancellor George Harrington and Grand Keeper of Seals Geo. E. Howe, Deputy Grand Chancellor Harry R. Lawrence and suite of Lawrence.

A delightful entertainment in celebration of the occasion was successfully carried out and in every respect the affair was a genuine Pythian "red letter night." Remarks were made by the grand officers and by the visiting knights. Following the entertainment of the evening the entertainment committee provided a light banquet which was enjoyed by all.

Passaconaway Tribe, Red Men

Edmond Crompton, George Houle, George O. Spaulding and Edmund Whitney, members of the Passaconaway tribe, 42 Order of Red Men, will attend the great council session of Massachusetts Red Men which will be held in Worcester, Oct. 29. On the even-

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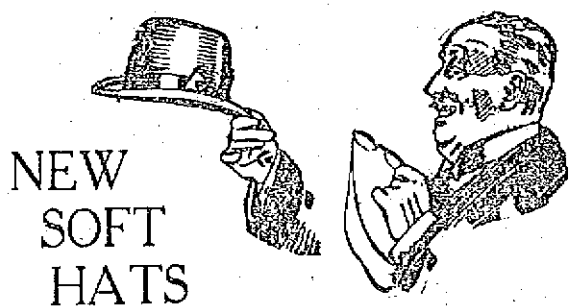
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ing of Oct. 25, in connection with the state session, a banquet will be held in honor of the grand convale of the United States. The speakers will be: Hon. Samuel P. Winslow of Worcester and Hon. James T. Rogers of Birmingham, N. Y., great junior sage-moore of the United States. Great Junior Sagamore of Massachusetts Arthur W. Hall, will be toastmaster. The ascheam gave a favorable report of the tribe's progress during the past three months.

Echo Lodge, 44, N. E. O. F.

The semi-monthly meeting of Echo lodge, 44, N. E. O. F., attracted a large number of members to its regular meeting rooms in Middlesex at Supreme Trustee H. M. Shaw and Justice McCarthy of the grand finance committee made their official visit. Refreshments were served by the following committee:

Katherine Riley, Carrie L. Mountain, Margaret Bertrand and J. P. Warden, Catherine L. Curtin. The entertainment committee is planning a series of whist tournaments for the winter months. The next meeting will be a surprise night for the members, Oct. 25.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bonan have invited cards for the wedding of and reception to their daughter, Maud Ellen Bonan and Frank Henry Marren, to be held Wednesday evening, Oct. 21, at the home of Mrs. Bonan's parents, 12 Cumberland road.

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REP. GARDNER AGAIN THE WAR REVENUE BILL

URGES ADOPTION OF HIS RESOLUTION ADVOCATING PREPARATION OF U. S. FOR WAR

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Rep. Gardner of Massachusetts made a speech in the house today urging the adoption of his resolution advocating the preparedness of the United States for war, offensive or defensive.

He said the country had not awakened to the meaning of 42 centimeters guns and super-dreadnoughts and that the time had come for us to "rub our eyes and look about."

The United States was not prepared for war even by the time the Spanish war ended, Mr. Gardner declared.

"I believe that things are nearly as bad today," he continued. "The naval board dined in our ears year after year the story of unpreparedness of the navy. General Wood, in report after report, tells the like story of the army and pleads with us to awaken from the awful lethargy and grapple this question on which our nation's safety depends."

"Yet we go shambling and shuffling along, scattering away millions where the votes grow the thickest."

"For a dozen years I have sat here like a coward in silence and listened while men have told us how the United States can safely depend in war time on the state militia and the naval reserve. All the time I knew that it was not so. Under that delusion in ten short years we have let our navy slough off until today it is a very bad third and sinking rapidly to fourth of fifth place among the world navies."

DIVISION 1, A. O. H.

Division 1, A. O. H., held a largely attended meeting Thursday night with Pres. Martin McCarthy in the chair. A report of delegates to the county convention held recently was read and showed a decided increase being made in the membership of the divisions in the cities and towns throughout the state. Three applications for membership were received and referred to the investigating committee. Plans were formulated for a concert to be held in the near future and it was announced that a prominent speaker will give a lecture on the occasion. The 20th Century Garbholder Club, Charles D. Shattuck, director, has been engaged and will contribute to the concert. Treasurer McCann and Secretary Verne are doing good work on the dance committee. The sick committee reported that no members were on the sick list at the present time.

Brothers Charles Callahan and Martin Moran were present and participated in the discussions at the meeting.

At a late hour the meeting adjourned until Sunday when a special committee meeting will be held.

TO INCREASE TRADE

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—To obtain information which might enable the United States to increase its trade with South America three commercial attaches of the department of commerce conferred with New England business representatives at the chamber of commerce today.

These three officials, Dr. Albert Hale, Vernon Havens and A. L. Harrington, all of whom have traveled extensively in South America, imparted much valuable information as to hardware, lumber and clothing opportunities there for New England merchants.

DEATH OF WOLVES

ROME, Oct. 16.—A despatch from Cetinje says: "A close watch at night is necessary at the military camps not only because of the fear of the enemy, but on account of the dread of wolves which when the first snow covered the mountain tops, began to descend and wander in, driven by bands attacking the living if they cannot find dead."

TAXES ON TOBACCO AND WINE AND TEL. AND TEL. MESSAGES ADOPTED BY SENATE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Taxes on tobacco and wine and on telephone and telegraph messages as framed by the senate finance committee were adopted today by the senate as part of the war revenue bill leaving the proposed cotton relief provision as the only matter still in dispute.

The tobacco tax as incorporated in the bill would levy a graduated tax on manufacturers of tobacco, cigars and cigarettes. Under the wine sections distillers of all still wines would pay eight cents per gallon on their product and manufacturers of sweet wine would pay 55 cents a gallon on grape brandy or wine spirits used in the fortification of sweet wines.

Numerous petitions urging legislation for the relief of the cotton producers of the south were presented by southern senators, including a telegram from Sir Charles Macara, an English cotton manufacturer who suggested co-operation between the United States and Great Britain in a movement to maintain cotton prices. After the senate had agreed to all of the committee amendments to the bill Senator Pomerene proposed an amendment which would make permanent the 55 cents a gallon on grape brandy used in the fortification of the sweet wines.

NO SHORTAGE ON BOOKS
SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Oct. 16.—Auditors who have been inspecting the books of Harry Woods, secretary of state who committed suicide reported today that there was no shortage but on the contrary 438 more to Woods' credit than the fees he had collected.

ANOTHER DUMP FIRE
The members of Hose 4 were called to the Stackpole dump yesterday, where a stubborn fire had started despite the dampness caused by today's rainfall. It was necessary for the firemen to remain at the dump for over an hour in order to extinguish the blaze.

ITALIAN MINISTER DEAD
ROME, Oct. 16.—The Italian foreign minister, Marquis Di San Giuliano, died at 2:20 this afternoon.

OF INTEREST TO WOMEN

England has over 10,000 nuns.

London has 165 women engaged in farming.

Over 8,000 German women are married in England.

The National Woman's Relief Corps has a membership of over 10,000.

New York City has 2,152,433 workers of whom 556,193 are women.

Kansas City has 4,436 working women whose average wage is \$5 per week.

Queen Elizabeth, of Belgium, is a fully qualified doctor of medicine.

Women barbers, hairdressers and manicurists in New York City number 3,854.

Over 8,000 women are engaged in commercial pursuits in England and Wales.

Pennsylvania has nearly 50,000 girl workers between the age of 16 and 20.

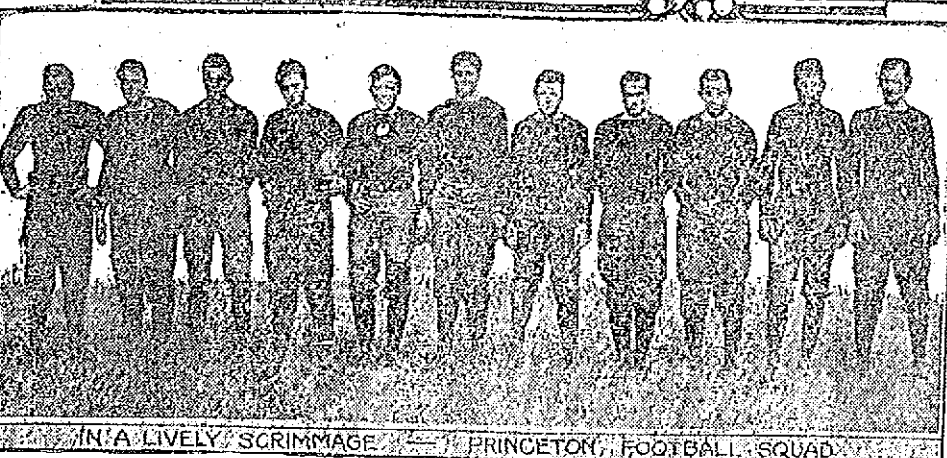
Girls in the Kansas City public schools will hereafter be taught how to launder shirts.

Mrs. Richard Derby, daughter of Colonel Roosevelt, will nurse the wounded in Paris.

Women and children are taking places of the men in the vineyards around Bordeaux, France.

The earthenware, china and porcelain manufacturers of England and

PRINCETON TEAM WORKING HARD TO GET IN CONDITION FOR BIG GAMES LATER IN SEASON



IN A LIVELY SCRIMMAGE PRINCETON FOOTBALL SQUAD

PRINCETON, Oct. 16.—The Princeton football squad is working hard to perfect the forward pass, and it has resulted in touchdowns several times in stiff scrimmages against the scrub eleven. Stewart Baker, who played quarterback two years ago, is being tried again at end, the position he played last year. The quarterback station is not solved, Boland being the most promising candidate. Eberstadt is also a likely looking quarter, but he has been out of practice for a few days because of an injury. Latrobe, a sophomore who played his first game three weeks ago, is giving much promise of developing into a sturdy line man.

Wales employ 29,439 females.

More than half of the stockholders who were caught in the failure of the H. D. Claffin company were women.

The percentage of female workers in Philadelphia have increased 21 per cent in the past ten years.

According to the census just taken in Paris the female population is 949,037 as against 555,456 men.

The women of Nagasaki, Japan, work side by side with the men in coal mines that come into port.

Women are being put to work in collieries in Germany, assuring that country of plenty of coal.

Statistics show that 45 per cent of the women in Germany were sick for more than 3 days consecutively last year.

Queen Wilhelmina, of Holland, is economizing at the Dutch court, so that there will be more funds for use of the army.

Mrs. Irma E. Nixon, of Jefferson City, is one of the very few women in Missouri holding the office of Recorder of deeds.

Mme. Polnare, wife of the president of France, is working four hours a day as a nurse in the Bordeaux hospital.

Sixteen-year-old Hazel Thompson captured the prizes for baking, can-

ning and sewing at the Ohio state fair this year.

The new Colony club in New York City, one of the richest women's clubs in the world, will cost over \$400,000.

Mrs. Lawrence Marston not only writes plays for moving pictures, but acts and directs her own plays as well.

Four women are running against Rev. W. D. Shaw for the office of commissioner of charities and corrections in Oklahoma.

Miss Signa Berkman, president of the Swedish Society of Women Suffrage, is chief cashier of the state bank of Sweden.

The Rockefeller Foundation has given \$200,000 to be used during the next 10 years for pensioning widows with dependent families.

Women are filling the positions of men employed by the Lipton company of London, who have been called to the front as soldiers.

The Philadelphia board of education will establish "Little Mother Leagues" so that girls can be taught the elements of baby care.

Mrs. Margaret Cherdron, who two years ago was the Taft elector from Utah, is a candidate for the state senate in that state.

WIDOWED BY THE WAR

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—One of the first American brides widowed by the war in Europe reached New York today aboard the Mauretania. She is Mrs. Henry Hammond Schott, formerly Miss Hazel M. Brown of Yonkers. She was married on June 16 last, her husband, Captain Schott of the British army was killed in the retreat from Mons. He was buried in England and she is returning to her parents in Yonkers.

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OSTEND HAS FALLEN THE MEXICAN SITUATION

ACCORDING TO FUGITIVES WHO HAVE ARRIVED AT THE DUTCH FRONTIER

LONDON, Oct. 16.—1:56 p. m.—A Central News despatch from Amsterdam says that fugitives who have arrived at the Dutch frontier declare that Ostend has fallen into the hands of the Germans.

DEATHS

POWERS—The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Duncan V. Bowers of 415 Lawrence street will be pained to learn of the death of their son, Duncan Vincent, Jr., aged 18 years and 8 mos., which occurred yesterday. Young Mr. Bowers was very popular among all his acquaintances and his untimely death will be deeply mourned by all who knew him. Besides his parents he leaves three sisters, Mrs. John H. Plunkett and Misses M. Bertha and Anna M. Bowers, and two brothers, William F. and James G. Friends are requested to omit flowers.

CLOSE WIRELESS STATION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—Rear Admiral Moore, commandant at the naval station at Honolulu, was ordered today to close the Marconi wireless station there within 24 hours unless the company gave a satisfactory explanation of the sending of a wireless despatch announcing the arrival of the German gunboat Gelo.

WOMAN SHOT ON BORDER

NAGO, ARIZ., Oct. 16.—A Mexican woman and a child were wounded several hundred yards from the international boundary during the fighting about Naco, Sonora, today. Two shells from Governor Maytorena's guns burst on the American side but did no damage.

22 GERMANS ARRESTED

LONDON, Oct. 16.—The police have found at Willesden, a suburb to the northwest of London, a building occupied by Germans with foundations and roof of heavy concrete. They arrested 22 Germans on the premises.

ALLIES BUY AUTO HERE

CHICAGO, Oct. 16.—Contracts for the purchase of 300 motor trucks of the heavy service type were reported to have been made here today by representatives of the French and English governments.

SILLIMAN AT VERA CRUZ

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 16.—John R. Silliman, who was sent to Mexico by President Wilson to see what he could do to restore harmony among the factions and aid in establishing the new provisional government arrived here today.

Mr. Silliman expects to go to Mexico City tomorrow. There he will make an effort to obtain guarantees regarding the customs collections and the disposal of funds now at the customs house. He had expected that these negotiations would be with General Carranza, but will treat with whatever authority he finds in the capital.

An exalted view of Mexico's immediate future is taken by Mr. Silliman who expressed the belief that revolutionary conditions would disappear as soon as the convention of leaders reached an agreement concerning the form of government to be adopted and the personnel.

GEN. CARRANZA'S RESIGNATION HAS NOT BEEN PRESENTED TO MEXICAN CONVENTION

WASHINGTON, Oct. 16.—General Carranza's resignation has not been presented to the Mexican convention at Aguas Calientes. Today's reports to the state department reiterated that the question of his resignation would not be taken up until additional delegates from General Zapata arrived.

Official despatches today said the temporary organization of the convention had been made permanent and that the delegates whose credentials had been approved numbered 120. All took the oath, swearing to abide by the decision of the convention which was proclaimed the sovereign power in Mexico.

It is not believed that the convention will attempt to exercise legislative or executive functions beyond despatching the individual or individuals who shall direct the executive power in succession of General Carranza. His retirement as "first chief in charge of the executive power" is expected on all sides as a matter of course because he is desirous of being a candidate in the presidential election and the Mexican constitution prohibits the executive who conducts the election from being a candidate therein.

Conditions on the west coast of Mexico are rapidly assuming a more peaceful aspect, and Rear Admiral Howard, reporting today from the flagship West Virginia at La Paz, predicted the speedy restoration of peace in lower California.

FULTZ RE-ELECTED BY PLAYERS

NEW YORK, Oct. 16.—The Baseball Players' Fraternity announced today that David L. Fultz had been re-elected president for a term of three years at the annual meeting of the board of directors yesterday.

Features of the baseball contract which are to be taken up later with the national commission, were discussed and decided on, it was said, but were not made public.

APPLE DAY, OCT. 20

BOSTON, Oct. 16.—The observance of Oct. 20 as Apple Day throughout the state is asked by the board of agriculture in a statement issued today. The board says that a campaign urging everybody to buy a barrel of apples to help the New England growers whose output has been greatly reduced by the European war, is proving effective.

NO RACING IN EUROPE

LONDON, Oct. 16.—Inasmuch as horse racing is virtually at an end today, Harry Payne Whitney is shipping his stable back to the United States from his farm at Newmarket.

The first shipment will leave tomorrow and the horses include Harmonica and the best yearlings produced since the stable was brought over here.

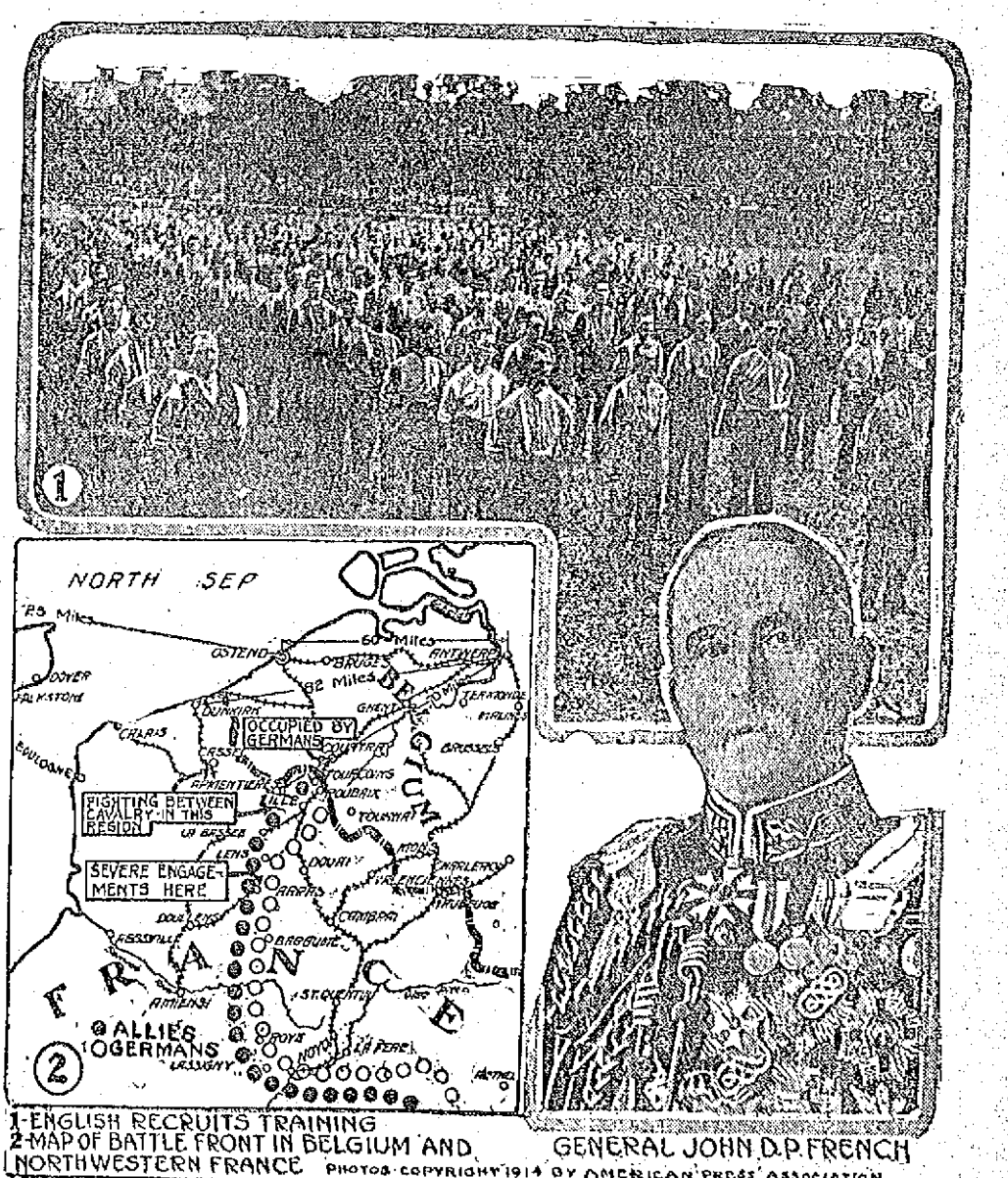
PRES. POINCARE HONORED

BORDEAUX, Oct. 16.—President Poincare has accepted an invitation extended by the students of Glasgow university to be their next lord rector. This is the first time this honor has been conferred upon a foreign statesman.

COLLIER SINKS TUG

QUEBEC, Oct. 16.—The tug Muriel was sunk by the collier Bonaventure today in the St. Lawrence river opposite Madam's Island, thirty miles from Quebec. The tug's second officer was drowned and her captain had not been found this afternoon.

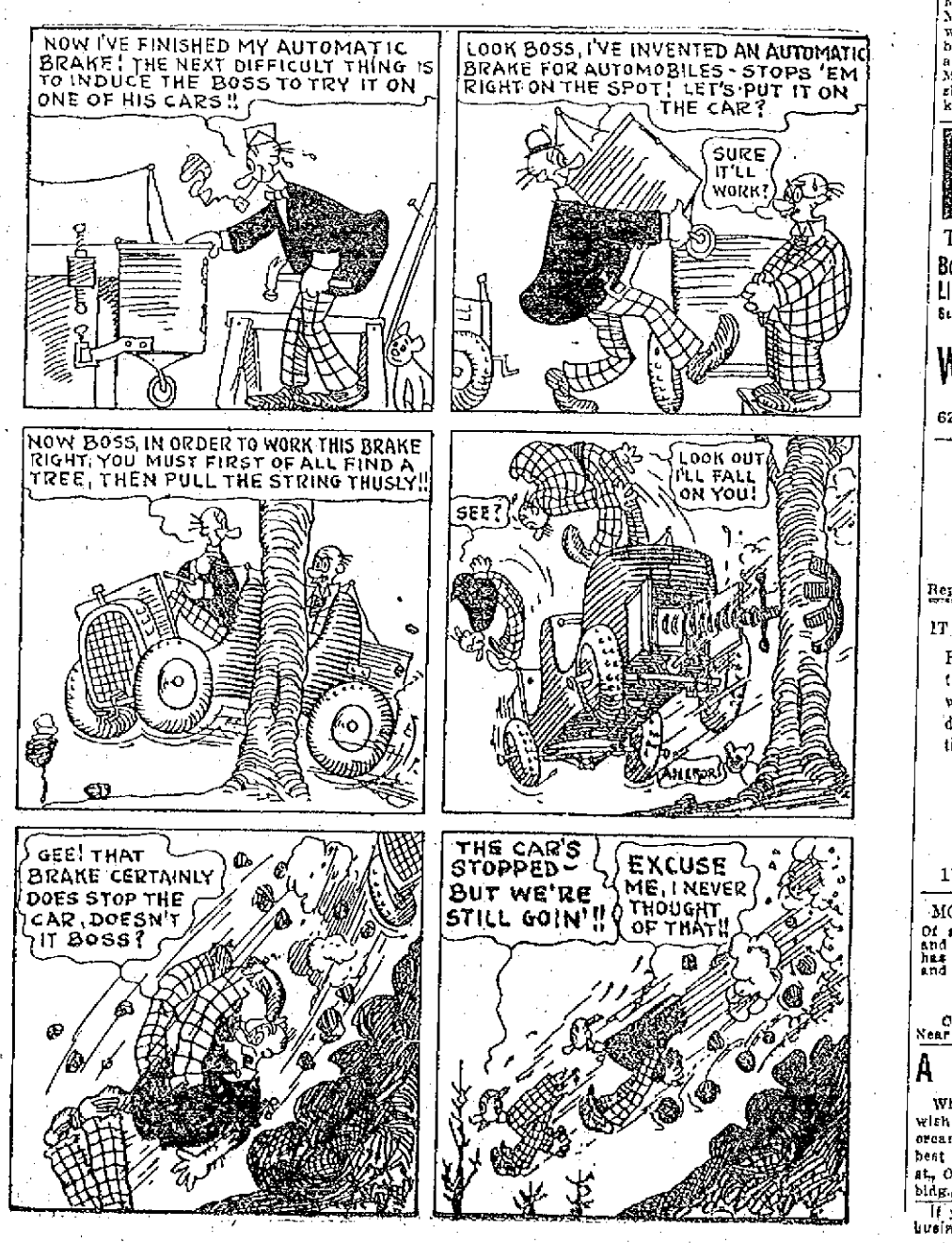
ENGLISH REALIZE DANGER FROM GERMANS AS LATTER TAKE VITAL COAST POSITIONS



1-ENGLISH RECRUITS TRAINING 2-MAP OF BATTLE FRONT IN BELGIUM AND NORTHWESTERN FRANCE PHOTOS COPYRIGHT 1914 BY AMERICAN PRESS ASSOCIATION

England had most to fear when the Germans pushed their way to the channel coast of Belgium after the capture of Antwerp. From public mass meetings in Great Britain it was evident that the people there felt the war was becoming more and more a fight to the death between the Germans and the English. English army officers redoubled their efforts to train their recruits, General French in the field with the allies as head of the English forces sent an urgent plea for more officers to fill his depleted ranks. Meanwhile the allies and Germans fought hard in northwestern France and along the Belgian border.

EXCUSE ME



THEY DO SAY

That war and politics have the attention of the public again.

That Lowell is as progressive as her government will let her be.

That Dame Fashion favors the tall slender one as usual.

That some figures do lie both in municipal politics and in dressmaking.

That again the short enders are there with the "I told you so."

That The Five Sullys were not the only Sullys at Keitt's this week.

That everybody is happy now that the Braves won the world's series.

That all things come to those who are too busy to wait for them.

That office holders at city hall have a greater pull than the dentists.

That it's more blessed to give than to receive—a black eye.

That there was a wild scene at city hall Thursday morning.

That at least one department at city hall needs a thorough cleaning out.

That some of the clerks are listening for the cry of "murder."

That some mothers map out rough roads for their girls.

That the North Billerica post office is a great prey for yeggmen.

That the town farm of Tewksbury is on the market.

That the Polish voters of ward one are soon to form a political club.

That Vietnam recitals are becoming popular in town schools.

That this is the proper time to stock up with apples.

That the man who can borrow money should always be optimistic.

That cloth makes all things difficult, but industry all things easy.

That an 8 by 12 paving block will cover more ground than a 6 by 12.

That a couple of crap games are in full bloom.

That life at city hall is just "one sensation after another."

That our reform government comes high but the voters had to have it.

That some of the "joy riders" up the boulevard have a sorry ending.

That George Haggerty, the runner, will surely be on time hereafter.

That Starter Walter Hickey is missed in Merrimack square these days.

That the Knights of Columbus looked pretty nifty on parade Monday.

That school board candidates are as scarce as hen's teeth just at present.

That as baseball has passed away for the season, football is now the popular sport.

That there is talk of a revival of the old Abt quartet. Stranger things are "apt" to happen.

That the annual reunion of the Immaculate Conception parish promises to be a banner event.

That the spirit of harmony has been restored at Keitt's theatre and as a result everybody is happy.

That it was a heron and not a chicken that flew into the arms of Harry W. J. Hewes, a week ago.

That the Fawcettville firemen are a pretty tired bunch on account of the many wood and brush fires.

That with favorable weather the dedication of the South common hand stand will be an enjoyable event.

That pleasure, like all truly precious things in this world, cannot be bought or sold.

That whoever wins in the great battle they will find victory is accompanied by increased expenses.

That the smooth paved roads in Lowell are invested with subtle mystery.

That the autumn is a time of longing for the folks in the Highlands—longing to see Westford street paved.

That the barking of some dogs has the same meaning as the threats of some men.

That good intentions keep a lot of fellows on the verge of doing something.

That there will be a surprise when the name of the next deputy sheriff is announced.

That the Trinity college girls confidently expect to raise a large sum for the gymnasium fund.

That the "types" open their fall and winter social season this evening with a good entertainment.

That Roarke, O'Brien and Deane will make a clever combination for the K. of C.

That "snooping" along the main boulevard is dangerous especially if the lights are out on their machines.

That waking a man up at 1 o'clock in the morning to tell him one's troubles is no joke.

That the present administration continues to furnish great material for the stump orators.

That those who don't own autos will certainly applaud the mayor's determination to enforce the traffic rules.

That the democratic city committee is without a head since Com. Cronin received a civil service appointment.

That the scheme of training men to be teachers in vocational schools is a good one.

That the membership in the Y. M. C. I. will be greatly increased this coming winter.

That the Bachelor Girls are rehearsing for their coming concert which gives promise of being a musical treat.

That the Belvidere board of trade, with headquarters in East Merrimack street, is out to accomplish results.

That John N. Payne, the tea man, has many surprises to spring at the meetings this winter.

That the club that advertises the old time dances will be the one to draw the crowd.

That certain streets in Belvidere are needlessly submerged with that effervescent coating called oil.

That Lowell people wonder whether any democratic state official has been advising Gov. Walsh on local matters.

That a public official who does his

duty will never suffer from public criticism.

That there is very little in our tax rate for the present administration to brag about.

That some newspapers seem to have forgotten President Wilson's neutrality proclamation.

That the automobile speed laws are not enforced in Lowell as they ought to be.

That the wise ones predict that there will be plenty of city work for the laborers with votes about election time.

That the "grown ups" should read the "Sleeping Beauty" in The Sun to the children every night.

That there is altogether too much scandalous talk about city officials and lady clerks at city hall.

That lady clerks at city hall should be protected against insolence and presumption.

That the principal trouble with our city council is general lack of ability and ordinary business intelligence.

That McManmon, the florist, is keeping his neighbors supplied with well water.

That Professor Gullbault says he can conduct the choir and play the organ at the same time.

That the murderer of Charles Gings is still a free man and not very far off.

That the first scene in "Teal" was not an exaggerated picture of some phases of Lowell society.

That if the candidates were to be judged by good looks, the selection would be easy and unambiguous.

That the autumn leaves have a lovely way of waving lazily or printing crotches on the sidewalks.

That if some barroom raids were followed up they would reveal petty stories of personal spite.

That some Lowell people would like the public to forget all about the Belvidere murder as soon as possible.

That Lowell has two of the most notable exponents of woman suffrage arguments in New England.

That it was a 100 to 1 shot with no takers that the Hildreth Granite company would get that paving block contract.

That Maranville, Tyler and Melonia, graduates of the New England league, figured quite prominently in the world's series.

That some landlords will make all kinds of promises before the rent is paid, but when they get the "kale" it's good night.

That the Richardson hotel management pulled off a most delightful innovation with its harvest supper last Wednesday evening.

That the employees of the B. & M. railroad shops will hold forth in Fair hall, North Billerica, October 22 with their second annual.

That with Tyler and Bob Hart wintering in Lowell we can have a number of interesting fanning bees during the winter months.

That it will be thoroughly safe for George Tyler to walk the streets of Lowell during the coming winter. He'll be the fair-haired boy.

That if upland game could vote there would be no doubt, even in the minds of republicans or progressives, as to Gov. Walsh's re-election.

That if some democrats elected to state offices from Lowell were not so set on Lowell would fare much better at the governor's hands.

That President Wilson overlooked the bankers of city hall when he made his appointments for governors of the new federal reserve banks.

That some people become in prosperity like a butterfly which cannot remember the caterpillar stage of its existence.

That if you don't like the firm that is working for you, fire the boss and reorganize; otherwise sit still in the boat.

That some people are so suspicious they are never sure that they won't get hurt on the corner of a square meal.

That real friends are like the inside pockets of your vest. We may not often need them, but we know they're there.

That one could enjoy the scoreboard better if some young men could restrain their enthusiasm in the presence of ladies.

That some of the hunters have been greatly disappointed by the governor's proclamation closing the hunting season on upland game.

That in his hunting tour on the Cape Dr. Frank R. Brady shot a stork, the very same bird that has visited a good many Lowell families in the past.

That another one of those delightful smoke talks and entertainments will be held next month under the auspices of the Mathew Temperance Institute.

That the coming opera, "The Nautical Knot," by the young people of the Sacred Heart parish promises to be a delightful affair.

That the candidacy of John F. McManmon for the postmasterhip in North Chelmsford has the endorsement of the leading men of the town.

That any attempt to snub the moral character of ex-Supt. Putnam will prove a destructive boomerang in certain quarters.

That the commissioners might try starting a Christmas savings bank scheme if they need more money at city hall.

That if any particular commissioner attempts crooked work in his department the entire city council need not approve his actions.

That people are wondering what has become of the great scheme for better lighted streets and smaller lighting bills.

That the people of Lowell will not refer to 1914 as the year of the big drought or of the big wind but rather as the year of the big tax rate.

That Clyde McArdle, the genial treasurer of the Merrimack Square theatre is as clever and obliging in handling a large crowd as he is when he hands you over a couple of "comps."

That the greatest murder story in history was when Cain went on a rampage with a club (not a spear) and killed one-fourth of the total population of the world.

That a few more board of trade di-

rectors as outspoken as Dan Carroll would improve conditions in Lowell eventually.

That Fireman John Rinehardt had a hard time trying to convince a Chelmsford street resident that Gov. Walsh had absolute authority to suspend the hunting season.

That the character of a man of woman can be judged very well by the particular Sunday paper they carry home after they have attended church services.

That however crooked an individual commissioner may be in managing his department, the entire city council is responsible for any of his acts which they vote to approve.

That the head of each city department as well as the entire city government is responsible for any gross negligence in taking advantage of the market in the purchase of supplies.

That people are wondering if the full story and the true story of the manipulation of the Lowell trust funds will appear in the annual financial report.

That city officials in other parts of the country ride about in 1900 Ford runabouts but our commissioners seem to have a preference for larger and more expensive machines.

That when the voter looks at his tax bill these days he is forcibly reminded of the promises made by candidates on the street corners during the last campaign.

That the police department may give the public the name of the Gings murder about the time it gets ready to give them the name of the individual who passed around the hat at the Seelye supper.

That the city collector should look into the story of the paving block purchase and if he finds that there was a combination in restraint of trade, he should take advantage of the federal anti-trust laws.

That the fourth degree, Knights of Columbus, made a fine appearance on parade in Haverhill, Columbus day, while the members without regalia won applause for their numbers and their fine marching.

That one good feature about the high tax rate is that it was not made exclusively for the rich. The poor man can enjoy it this year as well as his wealthier neighbor. Thus do we see the beauty of the slogan of equal rights for all, special privileges for none.

That the voters of Lowell turned out last year's government on the assurance of noisy candidates that they would get better streets, a cleaner water supply, a better enforcement of the liquor laws, more efficiency in the police and other departments and a reduction in the tax rate. Did they get it?

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PROVISIONS FOR THE ARMY IN THE FIELD

Importance of Keeping Body Well Nourished.

In time of war, the greatest effort is always made toward cutting off the enemy's hand of supplies. It is the well-nourished people who fight the strongest and live the longest and contribute most to human progress. Is your stomach doing its duty—does it convert food into good blood and tissue?

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery has been so successful in the treatment of indigestion, that thousands of former sufferers owe their good health of today to its wonderful power, and testimonials prove it.

It arouses the little muscular fibres into activity and causes the gastric juices to thoroughly mix with the food you eat, simply because it supplies the stomach with pure, rich blood. It's weak, impure blood that causes stomach weakness. Get good blood through the use of Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery, and you will have no more indigestion.

It is the world's proved blood purifier. It's not a secret remedy for its ingredients are printed on the wrapper. Start to take it today and before another day has passed, the impurities of the blood will begin to leave your body through the liver, kidneys, bowels and skin, and in a few days you will know by your steadier nerves, firmer step, keener mind, brighter eyes and clearer skin that the bad blood is passing out, and new, rich, pure blood is filling your veins and arteries.

The same good blood will cause pimples, acne, eczema and all skin eruptions to dry up and disappear. Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery is the helpful remedy that nearly everyone needs. It contains no alcohol or narcotics of any kind.

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WITHDRAW FROM FIGHT

Several Candidates Step Out of State Contest—Gov. Walsh to Reply to McCall

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—At 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon, the time expired for filing withdrawals of nominations for state election. The time for filing pretexts of nomination papers also expired at 5 o'clock.

Henry F. R. Dolan, chairman of the republican city committee of Cambridge, protested the papers for the nomination of Edwin F. Stickney of Cambridge for senator in the 2d Middlesex district as progressive independent candidate on the ground that the papers bore signatures written by others than the persons bearing the names; also that the papers do not contain the requisite number of certified names of voters and that there is reason to believe that the candidates did not personally sign and accept the nomination for senator. The protest will be referred to the ballot law commission.

Following is the list of candidates who have retired and names of nominees to fill the vacancies where made: Lieutenant governor—Albert J. Orem of Sharon, prohibition; Arthur Howard of Salem fills the vacancy.

Treasurer and receiver general—Daniel J. Murphy of Lawrence, progressive.

Congressional—6th district, A. Platt Andrews, progressive.

Senator—7th Suffolk, Ray P. Ellis, republican; 8th Suffolk, James A. Hart, republican independent. Representatives—13th Essex district, Alonzo P. Grinnell of Lynn, progressive; 25th Suffolk, William H. Sargent, progressive; 5th Suffolk, Francis D. O'Donnell, democratic citizen; 2d Middlesex, John C. Taylor, progressive; 1st Essex, Arthur W. Davis, democratic; 2d Middlesex, James B. Doyle, democratic; 23d Middlesex, Richard E. McGaughey of Braintree has deceased; Edward Avery of Braintree fills vacancy; 3d Franklin, Martin Nelson, progressive; 2d Berkshire, Charles J. Edwards, Jr., progressive; 27th Suffolk, Rollis C. Thomas, progressive; Waldo B. Boston fills vacancy; 2d Middlesex, James K. Treadwell, progressive; 24th Suffolk, Benjamin C. Lane, republican; 2d Bristol, Walter E. Bassett, republican independent.

Register of probate for Franklin County—Michael J. Carey of Turners Falls, democratic.

State and district committees have until 5 p. m. next Tuesday to fill the vacancies caused by these withdrawals.

CUSHING SPENT \$553

Postage Largest Item in His Primary Expenses—Pierce Paid \$971 in Campaign for Treasurer.

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—The cost of the primary campaign is revealed in a list of expenses filed yesterday by several candidates. Yesterday was the earliest day for filing expenses.

The result was as follows: For governor—Joseph Walker of Brookline spent nothing; Alfred H. Evans of Andover, prohibition party, spent nothing; for lieutenant governor—Grafton D. Cushing of Boston, republican, spent

\$353.51, of which \$140 was for traveling, hotels and refreshments, \$238 for stenographer, \$322.74 for postage and \$40 for autos; James P. Magenis of Boston, progressive, spent nothing.

For state secretary—Frank L. Briler of Boston spent \$365.40; Alfred P. Langtry of Springfield spent \$216.96. For treasurer—Frederick W. Mansfield of Boston, democratic, spent nothing; Frederick E. Pierce of Greenfield, republican, spent \$971.20.

For attorney general—Thomas J. Boynton of Everett gave the democratic state committee \$500.

For congress—Richard Olney 2d of Dedham, democratic, in the 14th district, expended \$95.52; Frederick H. Gullet of Springfield, republican, in the 2nd district, expended \$50.

For the nomination for senator, Charles A. Kimball of Littleton, 7th Middlesex district, paid out \$230.75; Fred L. Chapman of Franklin, 2nd Norfolk district, \$132.12.

WALSH TO REPLY

Governor Will Speak at Tremont Temple Rally Tonight With Mayor and Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Gov. Walsh will make his first formal speech of the campaign at the democratic rally in Tremont Temple this evening. The governor will take the opportunity to reply to Mr. McCall's criticism of the Walsh administration, and will answer also the various charges made by the other republican candidates.

Sherman L. Whipple will preside. The speakers will include the other ticket, as well as the mayor and Ex-Mayor Fitzgerald.

The following democratic rallies have been arranged for next Monday night: Gov. Walsh, Lieut. Gov. Barry, Sec. of State Donahue and Sherman Whipple will speak at Dedham, Hyde Park, Needham and Wellesley. Richard Olney 2d, the candidate for congress will speak at Dedham and Wellesley. State Treas. Mansfield, Atty. Gen. Boynton and Owen A. Hoban, the candidate for congress, will speak at Athol, Gardner, Winchendon and Orange.

Congressman Thacher, State Auditor Pope, Roger Sherman Hoar, James P. Dorn and the local candidates will speak at Yarmouthport and South Yarmouth.

REFUTE "BLACKLIST"

Massachusetts Suffragists Deny Responsibility of National Association's Drive at Lodge

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—In a letter to Samuel W. McCall, republican candidate for governor, and to Edward A. Thurston, chairman of the republican state committee, Massachusetts suffragists disclaim all responsibility for the "blacklist" of nine United States senators and nine congressmen which was prepared by the National American Woman Suffrage association.

This association appealed to all suffrage organizations to concentrate their influence to defeat for re-election the men named. Senator Lodge of

Massachusetts is one of the "black-listed" senators.

The Massachusetts suffragists say in their letter:

"We take this opportunity to state that the so-called 'blacklist' made by the congressional committee of the National suffrage organization, which included Senator Lodge, was prepared by them without the cooperation, or even the knowledge of the Massachusetts Woman Suffrage association, and we wish to dispel the impression that our association is opposed to any political party or to any individual as a member of such party."

FOUND DEAD IN HOTEL

STUDENT SHOT HIMSELF IN NEW YORK—SAID TO HAVE BEEN DESPONDENT

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—F. Deiningger of San Salvador, a guest at the St. Denis hotel, was found dead in his room yesterday. He had shot himself through the head with an automatic revolver.

On the dresser in the room was a note reading: "No crime has been committed. I killed myself because I am tired of life. Nothly Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch, No. 606 Beacon street, Boston, Mass."

The suicide registered at the hotel on Oct. 11. It is believed that he killed himself Wednesday night.

LIVED WITH DR. BOWDITCH

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Family sorrows brought about largely by the European war, coupled with his inability to return home to fight, probably caused the suicide of F. Deiningger of San Salvador, the Boston student who killed himself in the St. Denis hotel in New York Wednesday. Such is the belief of Dr. Vincent Y. Bowditch of the Back Bay, who knew him well.

Deiningger was greatly depressed by the illness of his sister, Mrs. Richard von Pabst, now of San Salvador, with whom he had lived while in Boston at Dr. Bowditch's home, 505 Beacon street. Then came the outbreak of the European war. Deiningger was eager to take up arms, but was prevented by the conditions. Recently he heard that his younger brother was killed in battle, a circumstance which, though unconfirmed, only increased his depression.

Last week Deiningger left Boston for New York to meet his mother, from whom he had been separated for some time. She was expected to arrive from Europe Wednesday, but did not appear. Dr. Bowditch believed that this affected the young man's brain.

Deiningger owned a coffee plantation at San Salvador to which he was planning to return. His father before him was a prosperous merchant. He first came to Boston in the winter of 1913 to study English and returned last spring, residing then with Dr. Bowditch.

Deiningger leaves besides his mother and sister, several brothers, who are believed to be in the German army.

WEETAMQOS HELD DANCE

POPULAR ORGANIZATION ENTERTAINED FRIENDS AT PAWTUCKET BOATHOUSE

Of the hundreds of dancing parties, receptions and balls which have taken place in the ballroom of the Pawtucket boathouse during the past decade or so, none was more enjoyable nor more successful from every viewpoint than the dancing party conducted last evening by the Weetamqos.

This widely-known organization, composed chiefly of students living in the neighborhood of the famous old boathouse, entertains its friends and their friends twice or thrice yearly. On these occasions sociability and good fellowship have so permeated the atmosphere of the dance that each renewal is

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THE WEATHER
Unsettled, probably occasional rain tonight and Sunday; variable winds.

FRENCH AND BRITISH TROOPS REPORTED CUT OFF ON ALL SIDES

NOTRE DAME REUNION WITH SISTER'S JUBILEE

A Large Gathering of Graduates Congratulate Sister Emeliana on Her Golden Jubilee—Rare Tributes to Sister's Labors—List of Those Present

Today was in every sense of the word a gala day at Notre Dame academy, being the occasion of the nineteenth reunion of the Alumnae association and at the same time the official recognition by the alumnae of the golden jubilee of beloved Sister Mary Emeliana, who has labored unselfishly at Notre Dame for half a century, and who during that time has drawn the hearts of hundreds of pupils to her by her lovable qualities. Today, graduates of classes that she taught in the early days blended with the graduates of 1914 in doing her honor and in congratulating her on such a glorious crowning of her fifty years of religious life. Sister Mary Emeliana is at present the assistant superior of Notre Dame where she has spent her entire religious life, with the exception of a short term at South Boston.

As befitting a golden jubilee, today was a golden day at Notre Dame. The chapel, the banquet hall, the reception hall and the other rooms in which the various exercises were held were decorated in white and gold; appropriate mottoes from the scripture shone on the walls in golden letters; clusters of golden chrysanthemums were grouped everywhere. The decoration of the chapel was especially effective, with great bunches of golden flowers on the altar, with clusters of lights and with the golden ribbon outlining the pews. The tables in the banquet hall were ornamented with clusters of the chrysanthemums and the walls were enriched in the prevailing room, palms and pine branches were arranged beautifully, and the stage was lovely in yellow and white, the decorations culminating in a large white bell overhead. In all, hundreds of golden chrysanthemums were used in the scheme of decoration; these were donated by Mrs. Edward MacFulken of Boston, chairman of the reception committee.

The order of exercises was as follows: Mass at 10 a. m.; business meeting at 10:45; banquet at 12:30 p. m.; a golden hour with Sister Mary Emeliana at 2:30 p. m.; and benediction at 5 p. m. The mass was celebrated by Rev. James J. Kerrigan of St. Patrick's church. There was a special musical program under the direction of Miss Virginia Fillion, organist. Following is the program:

Processional Magnificat, Solo.
Chorus: Miss Teresa Slattery, Choir.
Ave Maria, Solo: Miss Mildred Mrs. Marie McCarthy Genoli.
Accompanist, Miss J. Donohue.
Ave Verum: Miss Ellen Lynch, Miss Mildred.
"There is No Heart Like Thine," Chorus.

After the mass the alumnae, to the number of 150 went to the assembly room and held their annual business meeting. The ordinary routine business was transacted and then the election of officers was held. The officers of last year were unanimously re-elected. These are:

Mrs. Katherine Corbett Walsh, Dorchester, president; Mrs. Mary Courtney Thimulus, Lowell, first vice president; Mrs. Mary Cohen Hayes, Boston, second vice president; Miss Alice Donohue, Lowell, secretary; Miss Mary Creamer, Lowell, treasurer; Sister Louise, directress.

At 12:30 a banquet was served in the banquet hall, Page catering. At each place was a card on which was inscribed in golden letters: "1864-1914. The Lord hath given a crown of joy and length of days to our Sister Mary Emeliana." During the course of the banquet there was a welcome address by the president, Mrs. Katherine Corbett Walsh of Dorchester, who presided. Then followed "Jubilee Jingles" written by Miss Julia Donohue of Dorchester; "A Sheet of Forget-Me-Not," gleaned and read by Miss Mary A. Eagan of Lowell, orchestral selection; address of felicitation by Mrs. Creamer.

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GERMANS TAKE OSTEND CRY "ON TO BOULOGNE"

German Army After Success at Antwerp Has Swept Victoriously Westward Along Belgian Coast Until Now With Its Right Resting on Ostend it Forms Extreme Right of German Line Stretching From North Sea to Swiss Frontier

The German army which successfully besieged Antwerp has swept victoriously westward along the Belgian coast until now with its right wing resting on Ostend it forms the extreme right of the German line stretching from the North sea to the Swiss frontier.

A great battle to determine whether the advancing German hosts will be stopped in western Belgium or pushed on into France, seizing Dunkirk and Calais on the Strait of Dover, must come soon, and quite probably is being fought today. Official intelligence is markedly meagre today as is invariably the case when the belligerents are particularly active.

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"In the Russian field of operations there has been no change of importance. The position on the front in East Prussia. Along the middle reaches of the Vistula river the Austro-German armies have been driven to the defensive along the entire front. To the south of Przemyel the fighting continues and the Russians have taken 600 prisoners.

The most recent advices from Petrograd claimed Russian successes in Russian Poland.

All sources agree that there is a lull in the East Prussia frontier, following a battle in which neither side had an advantage.

A correspondent at Brussels reports that a greater part of the German army after the occupation of Ostend left for the east.

BELGIUM APPEARS TO BE ALMOST COMPLETELY IN GERMAN POSSESSION

BERLIN, Oct. 17 (by wireless to Sayville, N. Y.).—According to announcements made in Berlin today, German troops in the vicinity of Ostend have reached the North sea and fighting is going on as far to the west as Dunkirk. Belgium today appears to be almost completely in German possession. The French and British troops are reported as cut off on all sides, particularly around Ypres.

German headquarters in Berlin has expressed the belief that large numbers of Belgian soldiers, feeling before the Germans have cast off their uniforms and put on civilian clothes preferring to be captured in this attire.

The men composing the garrison at Antwerp fled in a great haste as proved by the quantities of cast-off uniforms, especially of the British royal naval division, found by the German soldiers.

The British suffered little by the bombardment. The people are now quiet and glad that the days of terror are over. A mob already had begun plundering the city before the Germans arrived.

In the eastern arena of the war the situation is described as favorable in reports given out in Berlin today. These reports say the German troops are before Warsaw. The Russian reports of the capture of German guns is untrue. The Polish population of Warsaw has been maltreated by the Russians. There have been many arrests and executions. The Polish and Jewish inhabitants of this district are now aware of the Russian defeat in East Prussia and South Poland and they are receiving the Germans and Austrians as liberators.

Third Edition LEAK IN WATER PIPE CAUSES GREAT WASTE

Centralville People Drank From Bubbling Leak Believing it to be a Spring—O'Sullivan Bros. Offer Building for Tryout of the Public Market Scheme

A leak through which water enough was flowing to supply two good sized towns, was discovered a few days ago by the water department on the Centralville dump near the Centralville bridge. The discovery will mean a saving of not less than 36 gallons a minute or about \$2,000 gallons a day.

The water was boiling or bubbling up at the point where the leak was discovered and people had been drinking the water, believing it was a spring. The leak is of long standing for the "spring" on the dump made its appearance several years ago.

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LOWER INSURANCE RATES WARSHIPS SUNK

REDUCTION WENT INTO EFFECT THIS MORNING FOR NEW ENGLAND

A reduction in fire insurance rates in Lowell and every other city in New England went into effect this morning, according to notices received by Lowell agents this morning. The reduction came as a surprise to property holders in general as less than a month ago a substantial increase was made known. The reduction goes into effect immediately and premiums will be figured on pro rata basis.

On September 27, a change was made on the New England rates on what is called term policies. Previous to that time the rate on a three-year term policy was figured by multiplying the one-year rate by two and the five-year rate was reached by multiplying the one year rate by three. After Sept. 27, the three-year rate was figured by multiplying the annual rate by two and a half and the five-year rate by four.

These rates were in effect until this morning when 26,000 copies of new regulations were received by agents of various companies throughout New England. No change was made in the term policies for one year.

Although the exact changes are not known, it was stated by a local agent today that the rate in Lowell on three-year policies on dwellings will be practically the same as it was before the increase on Sept. 27, while the five-year rate will show only a slight increase over the old rate. An increase is noted on contents of all dwellings.

Some mercantile buildings are effected by the new rates while in other cases no change is made. The rate on stock in stores, etc., remains the same.

According to local insurance men, the fire insurance business has been conducted at a loss for the past 50 years. It is said that this loss averaged about two per cent in the United States. This loss has been made up by the companies by successful investments, or buying and selling stock at the proper time.

TO SISTER EMELIANA

TOUCHING TRIBUTE BY A FORMER PUPIL OF NOTRE DAME ON HER GOLDEN JUBILEE

Fifty years! Fifty years has Sister M. Emeliana been weaving the golden chaplet which today she lays on the altar of love, and the alumnae of Notre Dame are happy that the glad moments are counted in their day and generation. Paradoxical as it may seem, time that has brought us this joyous occasion plays no part in it. The Sister M. Emeliana of 50 years ago or of 20 or 10 years is the same Sister M. Emeliana of today. Her life of love and devotion has imparted to her the secret of perpetual youth and she is as straight, as lithe, as active and efficient as she was one-half a century ago. Sister M. Emeliana has seen 50 classes pass out of the door of Notre Dame and she can call each one by name as easily as the class of 1914. She has seen her "girls" graduate, become mothers, even grandmothers. She was our comforter in our distress, a girl in our games and a disciplinarian in the study hall, but always Sister M. Emeliana, the kind, powerful, disinterested personality.

Inside the heavy oaken doors of Notre Dame academy today there is cause for rejoicing. It is seldom in the history of community life that one is allowed to remain several years in the same house. Others have come and we have loved them, too, but death or other causes have robbed us of their presence so that they have passed out of our lives, but Sister M. Emeliana is "ours" and today we feel it more keenly than ever. From north and south and east and west have come felicitations from those who have known her loving influence. Her ambition was not to rule, but to guide and love and today's demonstration proved that "None know her but to love her, nor named her but to praise."

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TRADE ENVOYS IN BOSTON

Attaches Tell About So. America in Conference—N. E. Business Men Question Federal Agents

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Three United States commercial attaches of the staff which Sec. of Commerce Redfield is sending to South America to foster and promote trade with this country, conferred at the chamber of commerce yesterday with representatives of some of New England's industries.

Dr. Albert Hale, accredited to Buenos Aires; A. L. Harrington, at Lima, Peru; and Vernon L. Havens, at Santiago, Chile, were the attaches present. J. L. Roberts, newly appointed commercial agent in charge of the Boston branch office of the Bureau of Foreign and Domestic Commerce, Department of Commerce, presided.

Cordage, wireless and electrical outfits, bricks, shoes and leather, shoe machinery, woolen and worsted goods, bottles and coal, were industries represented. It was brought out that the commercial attaché will occupy the void between the diplomatic representative and the consular agent in foreign fields, largely filling the latter, but his rating is nearer that of the diplomat.

While he will not devote any time to complaints from any one particular exporter or importer, he will, however, report to Washington on the general trade situation, giving advance information, when possible, on tariffs, credit systems and similar matters, and supplying advice as to how United States merchants can best stimulate trade.

Dr. Hale said Sec. Redfield talked with the commercial attaches last Monday and told them they were to act largely on their own initiative, to be in every good sense of the word, Yankees.

Thomas F. Anderson, secretary of the New England Shoe and Leather association, said he was making up a list of matters which the commercial attaches could study in their own fields. He said his association takes a keen interest in the whole question of South American trade and will be glad to cooperate with the attaches.

There are now 40 lines of New England footwear selling in South America, he said, and he believed the shoe business there was bound to increase.

Americans Needed on the Spot

John N. Cole of the Boston Industrial board sought to learn how a number of manufacturers could combine to establishing a branch in South America, and in what way the commercial attaches could help.

Mr. Anderson suggested that the attaches investigate the possibilities of the Boston chamber of commerce maintaining a New England exposition in such cities as Rio Janeiro, Buenos Aires and Santiago. He had urged this before, he said, but would like the ideas of the government agents after they reached their posts.

William S. McNary said there were two vital points in South American trade: the United States banks must cooperate, and there must be direct steamship connections between the United States and South America. If necessary, he thought the government should buy and operate steamship lines.

Commercial Agent Roberts called attention to the facilities of his office in the Oliver building, where there is a mass of information and data of genuine value to manufacturers and exporters.

The following officers had charge of the affair:

General manager, John Minahan; assistant general manager, Thomas Wetmore; floor director, Thomas Beas; assistant floor director, James Hossin; and assistants, Harry Healy, Richard Donnelly, John A. Minahan, Stephen Shalvey, James Morris, John J. Quinn, Frank McNabb, Edward Dean, Matthew Monahan, William Ayotte, Frank White, Edward Scott, James Brown, Daniel Callahan, Frank Jones, William Burke, William Chapman, William Chapman, treasurer, Joseph Whiteley; secretary, Jerry Minahan.

THE BOHEMIANS' DANCE

ATTRACTED LARGE GATHERING LAST EVENING DESPITE UNFAVORABLE WEATHER

Associate hall was last night the scene of a pretty dancing party, the occasion being the seventh annual of the Bohemians, one of Lowell's many popular young men's organizations. There was a large attendance and all danced merrily to music furnished by Minner's orchestra.

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REFUGEES FLOOD DOVER

Many Leave Belgium in Small Boats—Antwerp Citizens Refuse to Return Till Germans Go

DOVER, N. J., Oct. 17.—Three thousand refugees from Ostend are still on the quay here or in vessels that have not yet been able to leave.

The captains of ships which already have departed declare they saw hundreds leaving Ostend in small rowboats, hoping to reach some point on the French coast. Hundreds of others loaded trawlers and railboats, which are still straggling from Dover. French passenger ships have been without food for 24 hours. Many small boats from Belgium also are putting in at Dover and Folkestone.

There are many Antwerp refugees. When some of these were asked if they would be willing to return in case arrangements could be completed with the German government, they declared emphatically that they never would return so long as the Germans were in possession.

It is estimated that 35,000 refugees have landed here and at Folkestone since Wednesday.

J. H. Aubert of 15 Mt. Vernon street will leave tomorrow night on a 10 days' trip to Montreal and Quebec.

PREFERS JAIL TO GIVING NAME

17-Year-Old Boy Received Sentence of 1 Yr. in U.S. Dist. Court

is Charged With Post-office Break at Charlton Depot

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—After remaining in jail all summer, while the federal authorities vainly sought to learn something about him, a 17-year-old boy yesterday stoically received in United States district court a sentence of a year and a day in jail at Plymouth rather than tell his name.

Under the name of John Hutchinson, which he admits is assumed, he was sentenced for breaking and entering the postoffice at Charlton Depot.

Judge Morton was deeply disturbed at the attitude of the boy, and tried to find out something about him with a view to allowing him to go home if he had a suitable home rather than send him to prison.

The boy was charged with the same offense when he was placed under the care of the probation officers of Suffolk county in June and permitted to go home, while Hutchinson stubbornly refused to disclose his identity or to give any contribution for his wrong-doing.

The stranger was unknown to the other boys, who met him stealing a ride on a freight train. He was arrested in Schenectady, N. Y.

This boy was in court in June and the judge talked to him. He went to jail until an investigation could be made. For weeks efforts were made to find out something about him, but all in vain.

Within a week he still refused to tell his name to Probation Officer Barker of the municipal court.

"I want to go to Atlanta," is a remark he made to one of the officers who tried to question him.

"I am sorry to have to send you to prison," said Judge Morton in a kindly way to the youth yesterday, "but you have forced me to do it. I wanted to help you. You are too young to go to prison and I don't want to send you there. I was willing to meet you more than half way, but you refused to aid yourself. If you think you can defy the law you are mistaken."

A sarcastic grin for a moment gave an inkling of the lack of impression made on the young offender by the remarks of the judge, which were uttered in the friendliest spirit.

The boy's language to court officers outside the courtroom is said to have been indicative of a rough type.

TYLER BUYS FARM

Boston Pitcher Will Live on Dunstable Road, Near Dracut

George Tyler, formerly a pitcher on the Lowell New England league baseball team, and one of the victorious Boston Braves, went to Nashua, N. H., yesterday and with his wife's series money and some more purchased the Roby farm of 400 acres. The farm is located on the old Dunstable road, about 10 miles from this city.

Tyler, who was reared on a farm in Derry, N. H., has been looking for a home for several weeks and recently stated that he would buy a farm at the end of the baseball season. Yesterday he and Thomas P. O'Connell of this city visited the property and the final papers were signed.

"I intend to move at once," he declared, "and will make the farm my home. I shall buy some stock this winter and go in for stock raising, but incidentally may produce milk and cream. I bought the farm from Cushman Brothers of Marlboro, Mass."

It will be recalled that the Brave pitcher married Miss Lillian McCarthy of this city over a year ago.

BUTTER UNDER WEIGHT

Eighty-five per cent of samples of print butter found to be short

STATE HOUSE, Boston, Oct. 17.—Having completed a systematic weighing of butter in every city and town of the commonwealth, three samples, state sealers of weights and measures, announced yesterday that his investigation shows that less than one-half of 1 per cent of all the butter sold in Massachusetts is under weight.

He announced that 43 prints of butter were selected at random in Lowell and that the investigation in that city shows that no prints were over weight, that 25 prints were under weight and that the percentage of short weight was 53 per cent. These figures compare very unfavorably with certain other sections of the state where the percentage of the butter weighed was found to be smaller.

Mr. Hanson believes that his investigation disproves the contention of Dr. Louis Fischer of the United States bureau of standards, who recently claimed that the people of the United States are paying \$3,250,000 annually for butter they do not get.

But Dr. Fischer admitted that the creameries and it is impossible to guarantee an honest pound of butter because of the great variance of shrinkage under exactly the same atmospheric conditions.

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Men's Outing Flannel
Pajamas, handsome blue and red stripes, cut full size and trimmed with silk frogs, \$1.00 per suit

THE RESERVE LIST QUEEN IN ARMY

Lowell Club Will be in Pennant Hunt Next Year—Twelve on List

The Lowell baseball club will start out next spring with a likely looking squad of reservists, in fact, practically as good as any in the league. Secretary Farrell of the national commission has issued the reserve list of the New England league clubs. In addition to the players mentioned in this list Manager Gray still has a string upon the services of Jimmy Ring provided that James does not make good with the Yankees. The list is as follows:

Lowell: Howard Fahay, Frank Swayne, Mat Zeiser, Earl Stimpson, Pete Wacob, Maurice Dee, James Greenhalgh, Norman Weaver, C. O. Lohman, John Roggy (suspended) Samuel Shenk (suspended), Roy Smith (suspended).

Lawrence: F. Brugg, M. Flaherty, A. Pearson, W. Smith, J. Riegler, F. Olde, W. Fullerton, J. Barron, H. Aubrey, R. Conley, M. Lynch, L. Mahoney, A. Howard, D. O'Connell, W. Luyster, J. Swetonick (suspended), F. Hill (suspended), J. Harter (suspended).

Worcester: William Ross, James Cooney, Thomas Young, John Strands, Ben Stewart, Fred Bawley, Earl Feltzger, Ben Van Dyke, Robert Johnson, John Bushelman, Willie M. Carroll, Hugh McCune, Charles Shorten, Reggy Rawlings (suspended), Howard Atiller (suspended), Dave Evers (suspended), Irwin Hulse (suspended).

Lewiston: Arthur McGovern, Joseph Casey, William Garlow, John Radtke, James Gorman, Frank Belgio, Joe Smith, Wm. Dundy, Timothy Shea, Patrick Maloney, Paul Howard, Fred Bailey, Ralph Masterson.

Portland: Joseph Burns, Ben Bowcock, Pete Clemens, John Dowell, Charles Hayden, Chas. Hickman, Clifford Jewell, Walter Longergan, E. Mayberry, Henry Merrill, Charles McCarty, Harry Moran, Oscar Tuero, A. Watkins, H. L. Williams, Gilbert Whitehouse, Thos. J. Clark.

Manchester: Chester Swatt, Joseph Kilbullen, Walter Torphy, Joseph Kane, Charles Reed, George Spices, Henry King, William Collins, Joseph Scanlon, Fred Ostergren, Jas. Kenney, Chas. Test.

Haverhill: C. Wilson, M. Joyce, Mike Ginston, W. Smith, J. Riegler, F. Olde, W. Fullerton, R. Campbell, G. Yelle, J. Peplinski, Larry Conley, P. Duggan.

BOHNS FELL NEAR

German Aeroplane's Parting Salute to Red Cross Steamer Hearing 600 Wounded

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The directors of the Belgian Red Cross arrived in London yesterday with 500 wounded soldiers, the last of 15,000 who have been brought to England. As the Red Cross steamer left Ostend a Taube aeroplane dropped two bombs which fell in the water a few yards from the vessel.

OLDING A BENEDICT

Athletes' Left Fielder Weds Miss Hannah A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., in Philadelphia

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 17.—Reuben X. Olding, left fielder of the Philadelphia Athletics, and Miss Hannah A. Thomas of Bridgeton, N. J., were married by a magistrate here yesterday.

Olding is under bail on charges of desertion and nonsupport preferred by his wife. The woman shortly before the opening of the world's series games. He deserted a prior marriage to the license clerk yesterday.

Miss Thomas said she was married before, but had been divorced in 1908 on the grounds of desertion.

"I was never married to the woman who brings this charge against me," declared Olding before the ceremony. "She is simply after my world series money."

"This trouble put me off my game in the big series. What chance had I to play decent ball when everyone in Boston was yelling that I had deserted my wife? I know I didn't play as I should and I attribute it to this trouble."

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WHAT THE FRENCH MAID SAID

SLEEPING OUT-OF-DOORS

"Oh dear, I feel so laxy all the time," sighed Marjorie as she slumped into a chair in her aunt's boudoir. "When I get up in the morning I feel as tired as though I had not slept at all."

"Probably you don't get fresh air enough," returned Marie. "Why don't you take advantage of the little porch outside your windows and try sleeping outdoors for a while? It is cooler and you could put canvas screens across the front and side to keep out the worst of the storms."

"The matter of beds is otherwise somewhat of a problem because mattresses will get damp if left out all the time and a damp bed is about the worst disease-breeder one could find. On the other hand, folding army cots can easily be brought indoors in the morning, although for permanent sleeping quarters most people prefer a mattress."

"Special mattresses come, but it is wiser in any case to house them during the day and warm them up in gold nights before attempting to sleep in them."

"Now in regard to bed clothing, for severe weather, the double faced sleeping bags have been much improved by being made to button up one side as well as across the foot."

This allows them to be opened out and thoroughly aired after using. "These are warm enough without other covering for ordinary weather, especially with the comfortable sleeping garments to be had. Union suits of heavy wool come with feet, if so desired, although some people prefer to wear separate bed socks instead."

"Hand-knit night caps are comfortable and warm. Some of them are made like the old courasses of medieval times, with a neck protector or cape which extends all the way round and can be pulled up over the chin if so desired. The top pulls well down over the forehead so that if the night be cold, only the eyes and nose need be exposed."

"Many people find cotton or linen sheets very cold in winter, even for indoor sleeping, and nowadays, one can procure special weights and special grades of cashmere or wool taffeta for those who complain of cold feet. These sheets are more sanitary than sleeping between blankets because the sheets will bear constant washing."

"It must be remembered in outdoor sleeping that the mattress or cot beneath is not always as warm as the bed clothes over the sleeper, hence for cold weather, extra padding or blankets must be laid over the mattress if a sleeping bag is not provided."

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CECILIE FREED

The German Steamship Will Be Taken to Boston

PORTLAND, Me., Oct. 17.—By consent of all parties the German steamship Kronprinzessin Cecilie will be taken from Bar Harbor to Boston, according to a decision in the federal court yesterday. Judge Hale will sign the decree later.

The libel bond will be dismissed and the attachment for \$100,000 in the suit of the Guaranty Trust company of New York will be released. New proceedings of the same nature, brought in Massachusetts, will be filed as soon as the vessel reaches that jurisdiction.

She will probably be conveyed from Bar Harbor to Boston by a United States torpedo boat and a revenue cutter. As far as practicable she will be kept within the three-mile limit, and that will be possible in Maine waters. If any attempt is made to capture the prize after that she will be rapidly brought within the neutrality zone.

It is understood that the steamship will be taken out by Marshal Wilson or by some officer under his direction, and a transfer will be made to Massachusetts officials at the proper point. No objection is anticipated from any belligerent nation.

In addition to the main suit, Charles W. Rantoul, a passenger, has petitioned to intervene to ask for damages because the steamship failed to complete her voyage. The suit of the Guaranty Trust company of New York was based on the failure of the steamship to finish her voyage and to deliver more than \$100,000 in gold consigned to various parties.

ESCAPED A SMASH-UP

Attorney-General Bonnton, while hurrying to a political rally at North Chelmsford, Wednesday evening, had a narrow escape from being injured when a forward tire on his automobile blew out. Fortunately, the car did not overturn and the attorney-general escaped with a slight shaking up.

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The trial had barely been started before Judge Foster than Romeo W. Nathan and E. J. Marr, two of the defendants, entered pleas of guilty. When Mr. Roosa had got over his surprise at this development he began to make arrangements for calling Nathan and Marr as witnesses for the prosecution.

Then Mrs. Bird was called to review the story she told in November, 1912, when she recovered against Farmer and his associates a verdict of \$12,977.06. She had asked for that figure on editions of Oscar Wilde, Walt Whitman, Paul de Kock, Carlyle and Flaubert that experts had testified were worth not more than \$2500. Immediately upon the finding of this verdict Farmer and the others were indicted for using the mails to defraud.

THE SPELLBINDER

J. Joseph O'Connor, democratic candidate for congress in the fifth district, has been selected by the democratic state committee as one of the speakers to make a tour of the several towns in his district in behalf of the state ticket, and Mr. O'Connor had an auspicious opening at Concord, Mass., on Wednesday evening where he addressed a large and appreciative gathering at a rally held by a local democratic club known as the "Get-Together" club. Last evening Mr. O'Connor spoke to a gathering of democrats at Ayer, Mass., and next week he will be quite busy on the stump. While on the tour Mr. O'Connor's interests locally will be looked after by Representative John J. Gilbride, and hence they will be well looked after. Mr. O'Connor will speak here at the rallies to be held in wards 5 and 9 in the interest of Senatorial Candidate Dunn if he is not engaged on the stump elsewhere on that date. Mr. O'Connor believes that the fifth district can send a democrat to congress this year and bases his belief on several grounds. In the first place the present national administration has made hosts of friends among the other parties without losing any in its own. The administration can carry out its policies more effectively with a friendly-disposed congress than with

one that is antagonistic and hence many republicans and progressives who look upon the Wilson administration with favor, will not be averse to voting for a congressman who is thoroughly in sympathy with the president and his policies. Furthermore, the bugaboo about the district being overwhelmingly republican was shown up in the last state election when Lieut. Gov. Barry carried the district by 513 votes with Daniel Cosgrove, a popular Lowell man as the third party candidate. The vote of the district for lieutenant-governor was as follows:

| | Barry | Cosgrove |
|-------------|-------|----------|
| Ayer | 152 | 152 |
| Concord | 152 | 152 |
| Bedford | 152 | 152 |
| Billerica | 152 | 152 |
| Bolton | 152 | 152 |
| Dorchester | 152 | 152 |
| Burlington | 152 | 152 |
| Carlisle | 152 | 152 |
| Chelmsford | 152 | 152 |
| Concord | 152 | 152 |
| Danvers | 152 | 152 |
| Dunstable | 152 | 152 |
| Groton | 152 | 152 |
| Haverhill | 152 | 152 |
| Hudson | 152 | 152 |
| Lincoln | 152 | 152 |
| Littleton | 152 | 152 |
| Maynard | 152 | 152 |
| Medford | 152 | 152 |
| Northboro | 152 | 152 |
| Northampton | 152 | 152 |
| Pepperell | 152 | 152 |
| Reading | 152 | 152 |
| Shirley | 152 | 152 |
| Stow | 152 | 152 |
| Tewksbury | 152 | 152 |
| Tyngsboro | 152 | 152 |
| Westford | 152 | 152 |
| Wilmington | 152 | 152 |
| Lowell | 152 | 152 |
| Woburn | 152 | 152 |
| Totals | 3945 | 3945 |

Comer Democratic Rally

The democratic committee has arranged for a big rally in this city on the evening of Oct. 23 with prominent speakers. A rally was arranged for about a few evenings ago but the state committee must have thought that the residents of that town were a bunch of night-owls for Candidates Pope and Donahue, who were to be the principal speakers, did not put in an appearance until 11:30 p. m. at which time Dr. J. J. O'Connor and other democrats, were peacefully stammering.

Take It All Back

I have been "called down" by a friend of the present administration for referring to this year's government as the "Do Nothing" government. I made the statement hastily and unthinkingly and herewith cheerfully acknowledge the error. This year's government did do something. It gave us the largest tax rate the city of Lowell has ever had. It certainly "did" something, mostly taxpayers.

Good Use for Paving Blocks

If some of those 6 to 12 inch paving blocks had been in the street department office on Thursday they might have been put to good use, without any additional cost to the city, if rumor be true.

Demands Organize for Dunn

Down in ward six, Lynn, a number of prominent young democrats met on Thursday evening and organized a democratic club in the interest of Henry P. Dunn, democratic candidate for senator in the seventh district. They were addressed by several speakers of prominence and there was great enthusiasm. This club will look after Mr. Dunn's interests in the lower end of the district and all of the towns adjacent to that city will be thoroughly covered. Mr. Dunn was in Lowell Thursday and went over to the plant of the American Hides & Leather company and introduced himself to the

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employees during the noon hour. He was well received and made a most favorable impression. On October 27, if it is possible to engage the halls, Mr. Dunn will hold two rallies in this city, one in ward five and the other in ward nine. He will invite Senator Fisher, Candidate O'Connor and other local men to speak and will be accompanied to Lowell by ex-Rep. Wiley of Lynn, who is also a good talker and a man of experience in legislative affairs. That Mr. Dunn is a hustler is evidenced by the fact that he is at present conducting a series of 25 rallies in ward six of Lynn. It is a large ward and Mr. Dunn is going to see to it that every voter in the ward will have an opportunity to hear him without inconvenience to himself. That Mr. Dunn will get a tremendous vote in his home ward is a foregone conclusion and if the democrats of the two Lowell wards in his district give him their undivided support he will win out on election day.

Hassam Comes Back

Under the old government when Commissioner Morse was superintendent of streets the city began to lay what is known as Hassam paving and the Hassam company forthwith discovered the city treasury and became acquainted with it to the extent of some \$10,000 or more, in royalties, so called; then came Alderman Barrett as chairman of the committee on streets in 1911, and separated the Hassam company from the city treasury.

By the award of the paving block contract to the Hildreth Granite company Mr. Hassam will come back again for he is one of the officials of the Hildreth company, and perhaps the city council having let him in, will prevail upon him to have the Hassam company withdraw its suit against the city for alleged royalties, the payment of which was called off by former Alderman Barrett.

When Alderman Barrett declared that the city should pay no more money to the Hassam company for the privilege of laying block paving in a manner on which the Hassam company claimed to have a patent, the company threatened to bring a suit against the city. Alderman Barrett in reply invited them to bring their suit at their earliest convenience, promising to show them something when the suit came to trial. The suit was entered but that was all that was heard about it and it is still pending, while the city continues, or rather continued, to lay its paving without settling with the Hassam or any other concern for the privilege. Whether the city must pay the Hassam company its back royalties is a question that has not been settled by the courts as the case has never come up.

Counting the Blocks

When the latest purchase of paving blocks shall arrive it is a good bet that there will be no dearth of counters present to see that the city gets full measure. Frank McIntire, a granite manufacturer, called on the purchasing agent, Mr. Dunn, Thursday to demand that the blocks be counted by a representative of the city, but apparently this was already provided for, because in

the specifications sent out to the bidders was the following:

"The counting of said blocks will be had at the cars in Lowell and will be had at such time as the commissioner of streets and highways shall determine, the count to be made under the direction of said commissioner of streets and highways and purchasing agent. A representative of the contractor may verify the count, at the time and place designated by the commissioner of streets and highways. The paving blocks will be subject to inspection and rejection by the purchasing agent and the commissioner of streets and highways."

In the past it is claimed the number of paving blocks received in Lowell was sometimes estimated by the number of loads that teamsters reported at the office had been drawn from the cars each day, a rather unsystematic way of counting. But the provision in these specifications calls for a count at the cars, which would indicate more systematic methods, and after all the talk about the transaction and the possibility of outsiders being present to do a little counting on their own hook, there is no doubt that the blocks will be faithfully and accurately counted. Of course the inference is not to be drawn that there is even a possibility of an attempt to bunco the city in the matter, for it is doing business with a reputable business concern, but on account of the lack of system that has prevailed in past years, there is more than ordinary interest in the matter at the present time. And so it is with the letting of the paving contract itself. It is the business policy, and not the regularity or honesty of the transaction that is under discussion.

Languishing Under a Delusion

I understand that Commissioner Morse is laboring under the delusion that The Spellbinder is trying to give the public the impression that he acted dishonestly in the paving block purchase. Don't you believe it, Charlie. When the Spellbinder is satisfied that you are crooked or dishonest he will say so in plain English. The Spellbinder believes, with nearly every other citizen who has considered that paving block matter, that not only Commissioner Morse but the entire city government should show judgment, official stupidity, and a lack of foresight throughout the whole transaction and as a consequence the city will be the loser.

Chance to Investigate

Why doesn't Supt. Welch, or the supreme head of the police department, investigate these stories that are going around about an alleged stabbing affray that took place in city hall, a few days ago?

The New Handstand

The only public improvement that the present administration has to show is the new handstand on the South common, and the money for that was voted and the plans drawn, under last year's administration.

New Traffic Officers

The Courier-Citizen quotes Mayor Murphy as follows: "I will have a traffic squad next year. It will consist of only three men, and no matter what is said."

Former Mayor O'Donnell should feel flattered for imitation, the sincerest form of flattery. In his annual address in 1913 Mayor O'Donnell recommended the establishment of a traffic squad and appointed three new members of the police force as a nucleus of that squad. But Supt. Welch didn't follow out the mayor's idea relative to working the new men as traffic men, though now he too, entertains a different opinion as to the necessity for a traffic squad. If report be true the superintendent recently called in Officers Kenny and Winn, who patrol Morrismack square evenings, and laid down the law to them relative to the enforcement of the traffic laws. Then it is said an officer sent the register number of an auto whose driver was violating the law, to headquarters. The number being looked up was found to be that of a well known citizen and as yet no action has been taken. If this is true it would appear that once more the "equal rights and special privileges" slogan received a bump.

More Wasting of Money

Daniel F. Carroll spoke right out in meeting at the board of trade a few evenings ago and stated that the city is wasting \$40,000 on the temporary high school annex, as was suggested in this column at the time that the annex was being discussed. The Varnum property has been purchased as a temporary annex and in all probability will be abandoned in a few years despite the large amount of money paid for it. But the school board attempted to go about the matter in a business-like manner at the beginning of the year and was turned down by the municipal council and hence the responsibility for the big waste of money, if such it be, rests with that august body.

Barrett Was Right

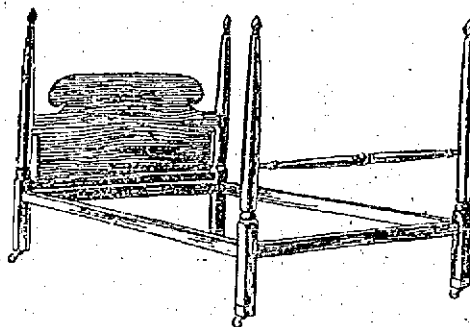
And all this talk about the waste of money on a high school annex recalls the fact that in 1911 when Andrew E. Barrett was chairman of the committee on education in the board of aldermen, under the old government, he introduced an ordinance for the sale of the Montferrand land adjoining the high school and running between Kirk and Anne streets, now the property of the Knights of Columbus. This land, which could have been purchased at the time for between \$16,000 to \$18,000 was of sufficient size to permit the building of an annex as large as the present high school; one that would accommodate the city for 20 years to come and as it adjoined the present building, one heating plant, one principal and one set of teachers could attend both schools. But some characterized the scheme as a land deal and others said the city had landed at present, and Mr. Barrett and his order were squelched. But he was right and I think Messrs. Whitcomb, Irish and Dr. Lambert will agree that he was. Now the do-nothing-but-waste-money administration is paying \$44,000 to fit up temporary quarters that will be outgrown within a few years, when at the beginning of the year it might have provided for a permanent annex on which the money, whatever it might amount to, would have been well spent.

THE SPELLBINDER.

WHITE SOX GET \$327 EACH

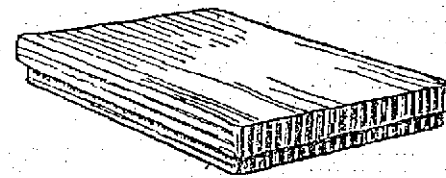
Chicago Series Money Divided With the Cubs, the Sox—Each Cub Got \$308

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Members of the White Sox and Cubs yesterday divided the receipts of the city series games. Twenty-eight members of the victorious White Sox were eligible and received \$537.50 each. Each Cub received \$308.

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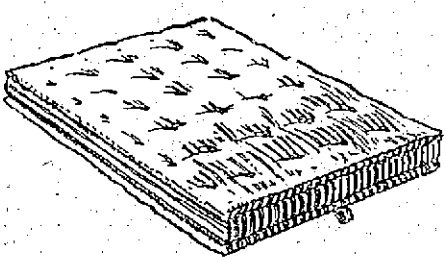
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FARM QUESTION

Facts Contained in Bulletin of the Department of Commerce

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The age of farmers in the United States and the relationship existing between the age of the farm operators, the size of the farm operated and the character of tenure by sections, geographical divisions and states for 1910 are given in a bulletin issued by William J. Harris, director of the bureau of census, department of commerce. This is the first publication of such information by the census bureau.

Data for 6,361,502 farm operators of all ages in the United States are given in the report. Of these 5,410,619 were white farmers and 950,883 colored. Of the total of 6,361,502 farmers 419,350 were 24 years of age and under; 1,413,875, 25 to 34 years; 1,511,469, 35 to 44 years; 1,422,707, 45 to 54 years; 947,823, 55 to 64 years; 654,470, 65 years and over, and 22,026 of unknown age.

By percentages the corresponding figures show that 6.9 per cent. of all farmers were 24 years of age and under; 22.2 per cent., 25 to 34 years of age; 24.0 per cent., 35 to 44 years; 22.2 per cent., 45 to 54 years; 14.9 per cent., 55 to 64 years; 10.3 per cent., 65 years and over, and .35 per cent. of unknown age.

The distribution of farmers by age for each section of the country shows that in each of the three age groups, 24 years and under; 25 to 34 years and 35 to 44 years, the south contained the larger proportion, but that after 44 years of age the percentages in the north were greater. In every age group the percentage of farmers in that portion of the country east of the Mississippi river was greater than that to the west of it.

Owing to the number of colored farmers in the south, where they constituted over one-fourth of the total, the percentage of white farmers was greater in the south than in the north in the youngest age group only. Among colored farmers in the south the percentage falling in the "65 years and over" group was nearly as great as that in the "24 years and under" group.

In view of this, the fact that these two owner classes formed 64 per cent. of all farmers in this age group in the New England and only 21 per cent. in the west, north central division, is significant of the time of settlement of the two sections of the country.

"For the United States as a whole, on farms up to 49 acres in size, the 25 to 34 years of age group of farmers was the largest; on farms of 50 to 174 acres, the 35 to 44 years group, and on those of 175 acres and upward the 45 to 54 years group.

"The relatively large percentage which farmers 65 years and over formed of the smallest farms in comparison with the larger sizes may be due to the desire to give up the care of large farms, renting them in many cases, while at the same time they do not wish to give up active life entirely and to retain a small portion under their own management, sufficiently large, however, to be considered a farm for census purposes. The lessening importance of the large groups after 45 to 54 years on the large farms may be due in some degree to the same cause, but probably to a much greater extent to the division of the farms into smaller holdings.

In the settlement of estates and to the tendency to break up the large plantations of the south and the great ranches of the west.

"In the country as a whole the 100 to 174 acre farms were the most important, numerically speaking, although the next two smaller sizes were but little less so. The 175 to 499 acre class ranged fourth, and those under 19 acres fifth. In the two age groups 21 years and under, the largest number of farms were from 20 to 49 acres. In the next three age groups 24 years and under, the largest number of farms were from 20 to 49 acres. In the next three age groups the 100 to 174 class ranged first, while in the 65 years and over group it was the 50 to 99 acre class.

"The great importance of the large farms in the west was shown in the percentage of farms of 500 acres or over, being more than three times that of either the north or south, and that of farms of 1000 acres and over more than five times as large. In the north and west these large farms, 500 acres or over, reached their highest percentage in the 45 to 54 years group, and in the south in the next older, 55 to 64 years group."

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POST SEASON SERIES

Show Leagues Even — Braves, Giants, White Sox and Browns Victorious

The post-season clashes between National and American League clubs for the inter-league championship displayed, so far as these four series were concerned, an impression that the American league was the stronger. As to deciding the inter-league championship, if there is such a thing, the series were an even break, each league winning two. The Cardinals and Cubs lost to the Browns and White Sox respectively and the Braves and Giants won from the Athletics and New York Americans respectively. The emphatic and impressive victory of the Braves was the big coup for the National league, and that the Braves would stand as good a chance as any club in either league of finishing first in the American league is as reasonable to believe as the reverse.

Although the four series were an even break the National league won more games. The total returns were twelve games to nine in their favor. The probable truth of the matter is that, although each victor proved his superiority over his opponent for a short series and the Braves proved that they are class enough for any company, the rival organizations are evenly matched. What proof of super-

iority the total number of games won and lost furnish is slight and unconvincing. The Braves, the best in the National league, unmistakably were better than the best in the American league, while in the other series it was a case of first division teams of the National meeting second division teams of the American. The only close series was in Chicago. The Giants and Browns won easily.

The Braves won four straight, the Giants won four out of five, the Browns won four out of five, the Browns and Cardinals played a sixth game, which was a tie, but the Browns had won four by that time and the figures of the sixth game aren't counted in the following tables of total runs, hits and errors:

| | W. L. R. H. E. |
|----------------|----------------|
| Braves | 4 0 16 33 3 |
| Athletics | 0 4 6 23 3 |
| Giants | 4 1 23 48 9 |
| Cubs | 1 4 14 40 11 |
| Cardinals | 3 4 18 41 14 |
| White Sox | 1 2 22 46 9 |
| Browns | 1 4 7 28 9 |
| Browns | 4 1 13 41 3 |
| GRAND TOTALS | |
| W. L. R. H. E. | |
| Americans | 9 12 55 180 26 |
| Nationals | 12 9 64 188 28 |

ATHLETES AND ATHLETICS

The supporters of the American league found little to back up their opinions in the inter-city series played between the Nationals and the American league teams after the conclusion of their schedules. The nationals had the edge on their opponents, everything taken into consideration.

Baseball experts are now stating that the Braves could undoubtedly have finished at the head of the American league had the club been in that organization. Although there are many who disagree with this assertion, facts seem to warrant the truth of it, nevertheless.

The Players' Fraternity has once more elected David L. Fultz as its chief executive. The heads of organized ball would give much to see Fultz cast into the discard by the franchise of ball players. He has proved a thorn in the side of organized ball and will probably continue his pointed characteristics.

The semi-final Tuesday night to the Langford-Smith bout ought to prove a masterpiece to young Jasper and Joe Egan will be the principles in this mixup and eight fast rounds are sure

to take place. Egan is considered to be the cleverest lightweight in New England. Jasper depends upon his hitting ability all the way through.

Don Norman is now thinking seriously of transferring his Haverhill franchise to Lancaster, Mo. At least he reports "seriously." Haverhill may not be as inspiring a ball town as some of the others along the New England coast, but Bangor, in our estimation, would be much worse. Semi-pro ball had a hard time existing down there.

In spite of the rain today the Texell eleven journeyed to Danvers for their game with St. John's prep. The Lawrence academy game, which was originally scheduled for this afternoon will be played Nov. 14. The field at Danvers was in woeful condition for a gridiron contest, but the St. John management, on account of their heavy rain, refused to postpone it.

The Lowell high-Nashua high game was postponed owing to the rain. This game was expected to prove a close affair for Nashua high has one of the best gridiron representatives in its history on the field this season.

BOSTON WRITER ANOTHER LEAGUE

Raps Lowell Fight Fans When Most-of-Knocking Came From Hub

Because a sporting event does not end the way they predicted, there are a lot of so-called sports who cry "frantic." Some of the sports from Lowell and elsewhere raised that cry after Gallant defeated Cross, but any fan who saw the bout knows different. One of the Lowell sports goes further by pretending he knew when the framing-up was done. Such disgruntled sports should not follow the game.—Boston Globe.

The moral of this article is quite right and to the point but the Boston writer would do well to look around his own neck before taking a crack at other localities. Possibly some of the Lowell sports did have something to say apropos to a frame-up in the recent Gallant-Cross affair but why does the Hub writer pick out another town than his own when he wishes to cast barbed facts?

If the Boston writer attended the fight and was with even fairly good boxing facilities he would have heard every fight follower for hours, town saying the same thing. Others may have made these remarks but the large majority of disgruntled ones live right in Boston. It might be well for the Hub writer to remember the saying, "People who live in glass houses, etc."

Royal Arcanum Bowlers Form Organization to Play Twice a Week

Another pin and ball league has appeared upon the local bowling horizon. The Royal Arcanum will place a six-team organization in the field, the first night of competition being next Monday. Monday and Wednesday evenings from that time until the end of the schedule will be assembly nights for the Royal Arcanum rollers.

The captains and members of the six teams which will compose this new league are as follows:

Team One—Jack Dunlay, captain; A. McIlroy, C. Edwards, G. McIlroy, W. Connor and Henri Carpenter.

Team Two—Ed. Kilpatrick, captain; George Grimes, Charles Bell, Arthur Gilbert, John Burdell, W. H. Penn.

Team Three—Brother Abbott, captain; Horace Parsons, T. Hartley, Harry Delaney, Neil Walters, Lewis Fielding.

Team Four—Stimney T. Heathcock, captain; W. L. Johnson, William Carroll, J. L. Carl, E. L. Stillings, Alexander Lovell.

Team Five—Raul Leclair, captain; J. J. Richardson, George McIlroy, Harry Richardson and Brothers Buchanan and McKittick.

Team Six—Fred Dunbar, captain; Clint Wright, Frank Gilbert, John Edgewood, E. J. White and John Gleason.

TO MANAGE CUBS EXCITING GAMES

Bresnahan to Succeed O'Day, is the Report—Johnny Evers Smiles

CHICAGO, Oct. 17.—Roger Bresnahan will manage the Chicago Cubs next season. The scheme of supplanting Hank O'Day, often spoken of during the season, is going through, and the former New York Giant and ex-manager of the St. Louis Cardinals has been selected definitely for the place.

This news comes from an agent of Charles P. Taft, who has the absolute confidence of the Cincinnati owner of the West Side team.

Rolled Last Night on Alleys—Bowling More Popular Than Ever

Last night was another busy time for the pin boys of the local alleys, many good strings being the result of matched games and league contests.

The Lamson league staged two matches on their reserved alleys at Kittredge's. The Bilbites captured all three strings and the totals from the Conveyors. It was either team's game until the last string had been rolled off. Boudreau of the winners was high man. In the other Lamson league game the Air Line took the last two strings and the totals from the local. Jackson, anchor man for the Air Line quintet, put up the strongest total.

The T. & S. rollers had little difficulty in winning from the Belvideres on the Crescent alleys. The final score was 1361-1376. Jodoin was

high man. The North Ends swamped the South Ends in their inter-league game by the score of 1335 to 1183. Hurtt hit the ducks for 303.

The Folding Room and the Paper Box Shop went at it last evening in a match which was in doubt up to the last string. The latter team, however, pulled away from their opponents in the last few boxes and won out. Vigrant of the losers rolled 282.

The Victorians and the Merrimacks rolled a six-man game which was close all the way through. Twenty-three pins separated them at the end of the match with the Victorians on the long end. McQuade of the losers was high man.

The M. P. H. and Poland Pits got into an alley wrangle and the former was pulled out a winner. Fitzgerald was high man. The Boarding Room and Finishing Room of the Lawrence Co. put up the closest battle rolled at Kittredge's last night, the former winning by twenty-one pins. Geoffrey was high man with 292. The scores:

| BOARDING | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Wilson | 51 | 95 | 31 |
| Lohselle | 51 | 83 | 21 |
| St. Armand | 50 | 81 | 23 |
| Geoffrey | 50 | 101 | 81 |
| Boudreau | 100 | 85 | 113 |
| Totals | 434 | 447 | 462 |

| FINISHING ROOM | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lacombes | 55 | 101 | 91 |
| Pelton | 55 | 82 | 23 |
| Champerne | 57 | 76 | 21 |
| Morel | 56 | 87 | 25 |
| Carpenter | 94 | 92 | 87 |
| Totals | 445 | 441 | 436 |

| POLAND PITS | | | |
|-------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lyons | 65 | 80 | 49 |
| Murphy | 79 | 65 | 80 |
| O'Neill | 77 | 90 | 71 |
| Poland | 71 | 61 | 71 |
| Foye | 114 | 123 | 91 |
| Totals | 405 | 422 | 362 |

| T. & S. | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Jedoin | 101 | 100 | 91 |
| Halkenney | 70 | 85 | 97 |
| Hindle | 55 | 101 | 87 |
| McDermott | 81 | 87 | 97 |
| Whalen | 81 | 85 | 100 |
| Totals | 432 | 464 | 475 |

| BELVIDERES | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Shields | 59 | 90 | 75 |
| Curran | 81 | 87 | 73 |
| Concannon | 92 | 101 | 83 |
| Allen | 82 | 97 | 82 |
| Doyle | 81 | 76 | 91 |
| Totals | 428 | 451 | 416 |

| NORTH ENDS | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Breadhead | 51 | 81 | 90 |
| Coleman | 91 | 99 | 82 |
| Batley | 73 | 72 | 80 |
| Buckley | 94 | 92 | 82 |
| Hurt | 81 | 117 | 100 |
| Totals | 420 | 461 | 435 |

| SOUTH ENDS | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Wilkinson | 80 | 81 | 95 |
| Richards | 67 | 78 | 88 |
| Lynech | 68 | 65 | 77 |
| Lane | 64 | 74 | 73 |
| Riley | 87 | 81 | 78 |
| Totals | 377 | 380 | 428 |

| AIR LINE | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Spillane | 93 | 77 | 89 |
| McDermott | 81 | 75 | 88 |
| LaRouche | 76 | 69 | 89 |
| Archibald | 76 | 100 | 92 |
| Jackson | 89 | 114 | 95 |
| Totals | 421 | 491 | 471 |

| IDEALS | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| McCollough | 86 | 87 | 90 |
| McDonough | 88 | 81 | 76 |
| Bohans | 89 | 80 | 89 |
| Bohans | 89 | 73 | 76 |
| Normandy | 103 | 89 | 86 |
| Totals | 451 | 413 | 424 |

| RILBERTS | | | |
|----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Kelly | 80 | 94 | 83 |
| Noranda | 87 | 75 | 85 |
| Teller | 84 | 94 | 77 |
| Burdette | 70 | 76 | 78 |
| Boudreau | 86 | 86 | 112 |
| Totals | 406 | 425 | 412 |

| CONVEYORS | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Deault | 85 | 82 | 77 |
| Healey | 86 | 105 | 99 |
| Clement | 63 | 68 | 81 |
| Brennan | 77 | 83 | 80 |
| Rossau | 79 | 79 | 85 |
| Totals | 395 | 418 | 422 |

| FOLDING ROOM | | | |
|--------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Vigean | 50 | 102 | 97 |
| Chene | 53 | 96 | 102 |
| Rolinson | 53 | 75 | 77 |
| Crane | 81 | 83 | 80 |
| Calhoun | 82 | 79 | 89 |
| Totals | 424 | 432 | 440 |

| PAPER BOX SHOP | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Leavis | 87 | 84 | 85 |
| Gendreau | 83 | 87 | 81 |
| Lauier | 97 | 91 | 93 |
| Quinn | 97 | 77 | 100 |
| Totals | 464 | 455 | 459 |

| VICTORIAS | | | |
|-----------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lyness | 86 | 82 | 85 |
| Halley | 88 | 79 | 83 |
| Jessop | 90 | 75 | 82 |
| Harvey | 66 | 84 | 87 |
| Smith | 65 | 72 | 71 |
| Totals | 464 | 455 | 459 |

| MERRIMACKS | | | |
|------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Clayton | 73 | 86 | 88 |
| McKin | 83 | 73 | 64 |
| Clough | 63 | 73 | 61 |
| Burns | 66 | 63 | 61 |
| Boisvert | 83 | 69 | 77 |
| McQuade | 81 | 105 | 125 |
| Totals | 465 | 465 | 487 |

| PIEPER AT LYNN | | | |
|----------------|-----|-----|-----|
| Lyness | 86 | 82 | 85 |
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| Jessop | 90 | 75 | 82 |
| Harvey | 66 | 84 | 87 |
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London team of the Eastern association, who is associated with another party, has made an offer for the Lawrence team. If accepted, Rock will play shortstop and manage Lawrence in 1915.

Louis Pieper has evidently become tired of the way the Lawrence fans have treated the ball clubs which he has given them during the past few years. Two pennant winners in the past three years with a near contender in 1913 and another in 1911 is what Pieper has done down river but the gate receipts there have failed to come up to expectations.

Whether or not the Lynn Amusement company has accepted the offer of Messrs. Pieper and Fraser the Lawrence manager would not have spent another season in the down-river city. Arrangements had already been made whereby Pieper was to manage the Lynn club if he could not buy out the franchise.

FOOTBALL GAMES

Many Important Grid-iron Battles Scheduled for Today

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—Old time line rushing tactics were expected to mark the play today on most of the eastern football gridirons which are water-soaked and make the forward pass and other open plays uncertain. As today's games marked the turning point in the season, a majority of coaches had hoped for dry fields to make final test of open play formations.

Of the several important games in the east today that at New Haven between Yale and Notre Dame attracts the most attention because of its inter-sectional favor and the reputation for strength of the westerners. Harvard will take the field against Tufts at Cambridge with a sub-backfield. Tufts has played three games thus far and has scored 136 points to 15 for its opponents. The leading games today are as follows:

Harvard vs. Tufts at Cambridge.
Yale vs. Notre Dame at New Haven.
Princeton vs. Lafayette at Princeton.
Pennsylvania vs. Navy at Philadelphia.
Army vs. Colgate at West Point.
Cornell vs. Bucknell at Ithaca.
Dartmouth vs. Vermont at Hanover.
Columbia vs. Pittsburgh at Pittsburgh.
Lowell High vs. Nashua High at Lowell.

DUN-DUM BULLETS

Colonel Gordon Alleged to Have Admitted Their Use in the European War

BERLIN, Sept. 28 (Correspondence).—Following up its charges of the use of dum-dum bullets in the French and British armies, the German general staff has issued fac-similes of written statements signed by W. E. Gordon, colonel of the Gordon Highlanders, and by F. H. Neish, lieutenant colonel of the same regiment, covering the issuance to them and other officers of fast-revolver ammunition for their revolvers.

Both officers, who are now prisoners of war at Torgau, Saxony, state that they had bought the questionable revolver ammunition served out to them in regular course, Col. Gordon declaring that he did so because he doubted whether its use was permissible.

The statements, which are witnessed by Lieut. Baron von Lersner, late secretary of the German embassy in Washington, and now attached to the general staff, and by Lieut. Baron von Berckheim, follow:

"I was issued at Plymouth with revolver ammunition. It was fast-nosed. As I was in doubt about it being correct ammunition and being unable to obtain any definite information from superior authority concerning the matter, I put my revolver ammunition in the ground for four days before Mons (23d August) engagement, which was the first time I met the German army. In the same time I placed my revolver in my heavy baggage and never carried it again."

"The revolver ammunition was the same pattern as issued to me and the other officers of the Gordon Highlanders in June last to fire their annual revolver course."

"W. E. Gordon, Colonel, Gordon Highlanders, A. D. C. to the King."

"As regards revolver ammunition, the bullet used was a fast-nosed one, the first time I had ever seen this bullet was during this summer at annual practice."

"I make above statement in writing at the request of Baron von Lersner, as a summary of answers I gave him to verbal questions he asked me."

"F. H. Neish, Lieutenant Colonel, Gordon Highlanders."

Torgau, 10 September, 14.

"When I was taken prisoner at Berry at 3 a. m. on 27 August I had in my possession only three pointed revolver bullets. I had borrowed these from a brother officer. I had no flattened bullets in my possession, as the cases I had issued to me I had buried. I do not remember when, but it was certainly several days before we commenced fighting in vicinity of Mons on 23 August."

"F. H. Neish, Lieutenant Colonel, Gordon Highlanders."

Torgau, 10 September, 14.

Such ammunition, it is declared in the statement of the German general staff, although rejected by these officers, was found in captured British revolvers.

ENOYABLE WHIST PARTY

A very enjoyable whist party was held at the home of Miss Jeanette Barnes in Belmont street last evening. Twenty-two friends of the young lady in attendance. After an hour of spirited playing the following prizes were awarded: Gentlemen's, Mr. Franklin Williams, first; Mr. Frank Flimerty, second; Mr. Fred Webster, third; Ladies: Miss Mollie Peterson, first; Miss May Flynn, second; Miss May King, consolation.

The gathering then repaired to the spacious dining room where a delectable and sumptuous buffet lunch was served.

After the lunch, a number of piano solos were listened to, and Miss Madeline Boland, soloist for the Bachelor Girls, won applause with her rendition of "Edna's Dream." Mr. Thomas Conley gave the reading, "Jim Farnon" and was well received. Miss Burns, the hostess, pleased with several piano solos, and the entire assemblage sang in beautiful voices all of the latest classic and popular songs. With the coming of midnight, the party broke up for home and an evening spent most enjoyably.

WED IN SECRET WEDDING OF ROBERT O. TAFT

Miss Madeline White Heroine in Romantic Wedding in Boston.

The parents, relatives and intimate friends of Miss Madeline M. White of 86 Belmont avenue, this city, were surprised last night when they learned that she had been the heroine of a secret marriage yesterday afternoon with Spencer P. Kennard of 81 Newbury street, Boston.

The bride and bridegroom are socially prominent, Miss White—or Mrs. Kennard—is the daughter of A. William White, head of the American Hide & Leather company in Perry St. Mr. Kennard is the son of Mrs. Daphne Hills, with whom he made his home, and a nephew of Arthur W. Kennard of 467 Beach street, Boston.

This wedding took place in Boston, but the relatives of the young couple declined to say where or by whom the ceremony was performed. After they had notified their parents and received forgiveness, Mr. and Mrs. Kennard left for New York on the first stage of their wedding journey.

There was no objection on the part of the parents of either the bride or the bridegroom except on the score of their youth. Mr. Kennard is only 22 years old and his wife is two or three years his junior.

Three years ago the bride for the past three years and have been seen together frequently during the past summer at Magnolia where the Whites have their summer home.

During the last month the bride's parents have been living in an apartment hotel in the Back Bay, Boston, and for this reason Mr. Kennard was able to offer his bride a wedding without the necessity of duplicating it in this city.

None of the bride's intimate friends was aware of her intention and she made no mention of it to them when she attended the Proctor-Wadleigh wedding Thursday night.

Mrs. Kennard has been one of the most active of the debutantes in Lowell. She is a young woman of striking appearance and has been a devotee of out-of-door pastimes. She was one of the two young ladies snapped by the Sun photographer while selling Red Cross tags in front of the Sun building last week.

She was one of the most enthusiastic workers in that very successful movement for the wounded in the present European war.

Mr. Kennard is employed by his uncle, Mr. Arthur W. Kennard.

FUNERALS

MILLER.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Miller was held at her home, 63 So. Loring street, yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock. The service was conducted by Rev. Smith Baker, D. D., and Rev. Edward H. Newcomb, pastor of the First Congregational church.

Funeral selections were sung by Mrs. Horace R. Hanson and Mrs. Charles G. Martin. The bearers were Messrs. Joseph W. Griffin, Charles O. Hall, Arthur J. Hardy and George L. Gould. Burial was in the family lot in the Edson cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

LEMUN.—The funeral of Alfred F. Lemun was held yesterday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the home of his parents, rear of 3 Queen street. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertaker George W. Healey.

RELIEF FOR SALEM

Sec'y Garrison Favors Federal Aid—Committee Hopes for \$75,000

SALEM, Oct. 17.—Though the relief committee is still spending about \$200 a day on actual relief, food, clothing and rent, it is probable that not more than \$75,000 of the \$200,000 appropriated by congress and now held up by the war department will be needed to provide help, up to the date now set as the time for the ending of all help, one year from the date of the conflagration of June 25.

It seems probable, also, in the opinion of members of the Salem committee which went to Washington to interview Sec. Garrison last Tuesday, that the amount needed will be ordered turned over by the department. Josiah H. Gifford yesterday told in some detail the story of the conversion of Sec. Garrison, who when the Salem men reached him was of the opinion that no more relief was needed. After the money had been appropriated by congress, it will be remembered, General Duval, the assistant quartermaster general, came to Salem and investigated the situation. It was upon his report that the secretary's opinion had been formed.

The delegation consisted of John H. Tivnan, Christian Lantz, Charles H. Danforth and myself," said Mr. Gifford. "We went first to Congressman Gardner and he took us to Sec. Garrison. Somewhat to our surprise, Sec. Garrison expressed the belief that the emergency for which the money had been appropriated had passed and that the funds were not now needed.

"Mr. Gardner pointed out the debate over the bill, during which Congressman Fitzgerald had said he was afraid the money would be used to tide the unemployed over the winter and to provide them with shelter, food and clothing. To this Mr. Gardner had replied that those were exactly the uses to which the money would be put.

"The bill was passed with that understanding," said Mr. Gardner. "Still the secretary seemed to hesitate. Upon that I said to him, Mr. Secretary, let me recall to your mind the situation at Dayton, and your own statement that you simply cut red tape in every direction and used funds as they were needed. We feel that you would have done the same thing had you been at Salem. You were unfortunately not there, but we did as we felt that you would have done—cut red tape, went ahead and spent money as seemed wise.

"I still have acted in good faith that you would endorse our action on the theory that it conformed to what you would have done. And we have disbursed what we had in the confidence that this congressional fund would be available when needed.

"Sec. Garrison said: 'That argument impresses me more than anything which has been heretofore advanced. Thereupon he called in the judge advocate general, his legal adviser, and we went over all the details of the situation with him at considerable length.

"In the end the secretary said that our purposes fell within the legal limitations—upon which point Judge Advocate General Crowther's opinion is to be taken—and he said no reason why we should not be granted such a portion of the \$200,000 as we could show was fairly needed. The statement of our needs is now being prepared; it will go to General Crowther and, with his approval, to the controller of the treasury for the final verdict as to whether he has authority to disburse federal funds for the purposes named."

There is still about \$100,000 on hand in Salem, and the committee estimates that \$75,000 more will clean up the needs of the city.

ARRESTED AS SPY BANGAWAY BOYS

Boston Minister Had a Thrilling Experience in Belgium

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—The Rev. Albert R. Williams, pastor of the Maverick Congregational church, Central square, East Boston, who was arrested by the Germans and tried as a spy in Brussels, arrived in Boston late last night. He was a passenger on the Baltic, which arrived at New York from England Thursday.

Taken into custody as he sat writing in the Hotel Metropole, Brussels, the East Boston minister was thrown into the German field jail and fed on black bread and water for two days and a night, fearing momentarily to hear the summons to come out and be shot, until the American ambassador, Brand Whitlock, intervened. Then he was tried and released.

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CASES IN POLICE COURT

Young Man Flourished Revolver—Money Extorted for Finding Eloping Daughter

Louis A. Landry, a youth of twenty years, caused quite a commotion last night at the corner of Market and Central streets when he drew a six-shooter from beneath his coat, pointed it at another young man, and asked him if he wanted to get shot up.

Sergeant Ryan and Officer Winn rounded up Landry soon after the Wild West scene and took him to the station, where he was searched and the revolver, fully loaded in all six chambers, was taken from his pocket. He was arraigned in police court this morning charged with carrying a concealed weapon and also with assault and battery.

The young man admitted to the court today that he was drunk when he drew the revolver and did not remember pointing it at his companion. He had never been arrested before, he said. The boy's father told Judge Enright that his son had always been dutiful in every way.

Judge Enright found the defendant guilty on each charge. "If it were not for the fact that you are a young man and that your reputation is good I would send you to the house of correction," said the court. Landry was fined \$50 on each complaint and appealed.

Extorting Money

The rather novel scheme of collecting money for revealing the whereabouts of an eloping daughter was unraveled in today's session of police court when Hiralampoulos Denetropoulos was accused of stealing \$100 from George Gargoullos.

The complainant lived, up to a few days ago, with his daughter, who kept house for him. One night, however, he returned home from work and no daughter was there to greet him, nor did she return that night.

The next day along came the defendant in the case and asked him if he knew where his (complainant's) daughter was located. The district-

ed judge answered promptly in the negative.

According to the prosecution's witnesses the defendant then offered to get back the daughter if the father would hand over the trifling sum of \$300. This proposition the father could not see. Finally, after bargaining for some time, the price was agreed upon as \$100, for which the defendant would return the daughter to the father.

The party then proceeded to the depot where a mysterious train was supposed to bring home the daughter within a few hours. Hours turned into days, however, and the father saw neither his daughter nor his hundred dollars. All of which was so discouraging that he finally called a police station and asked for a warrant.

The defense contended that a bargain was not made by which the defendant must return the daughter. The case ran along for some time with several witnesses on either side. Lawyer Pearson appeared for the prosecution while Benjamin Moloney, Esq., looked after the interests of the defendant.

Defendant was sentenced to one year in the house of correction and appealed.

Alleged Larceny

George Fustum was charged with the larceny of a newspaper from Hannah Donahue, said alleged larceny occurring early this morning. The arresting officer, the defendant and the swiped paper were in court but the woman from whom the paper was taken was not on hand. The case was put over until tomorrow.

The defendant told the court that he was a regular customer at the store and that he took the paper every morning and settled at the end of the week. Judge Enright took the man's recognizance until Monday morning.

Several offenders were sent away today for habits of intemperance. One woman journeyed to the house of correction at Cambridge for five months. During the past year she has spent seven months in jail all on account of the fact that it is impossible for her to abstain from intoxicants.

LEAK IN WATER PIPE

Continued

ago. The pipe in which the leak was found was laid in 1884.

It occurred to some of the water department men, however, that the spring was a myth and in order to investigate the gates were closed. The result was that when the water was shut off from the pipe the "spring" went dry. Samples of the water were taken and analyzed. The analysis proved that the water, supposed to have been spring water, was city water.

In the course of their investigation the water department men arranged a pipe for the water that was leaking and found that the leak was yielding 36 gallons a minute—some leak.

When the department got down to the root of the trouble they found that two of the joints of the 24-inch pipe laid 30 years ago had partly pulled apart, due perhaps to the ground settling. The joints were put back in shape and iron rods were put in to secure them so that there is little danger of any further dissolution of partnership.

The suggestion to try out the public market scheme before voting for it at the state election has been made by O'Sullivan Brothers and they offer the ground floor of the Associate building adjoining the Merrimack Clothing Co.'s store for the tryout. The matter of a public market for Lowell will be on the ballot at the state election and the proposition to try it out before decisive action is taken seems a very good one. The suggestion offered by O'Sullivan Brothers is contained in the following letter addressed to the mayor:

October 16.
Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, Mayor, City Hall, Lowell, Mass.
Dear Mr. Mayor: Various municipalities, with a view to reducing the high cost of living, are endeavoring to open public markets, thereby bringing the producer and consumer together for mutual advantage.

In the hope that you will favor such a departure and to put at your disposal a suitable location without expense to the city, where the thing could be tested out, we beg to offer you for this purpose the large store on the ground floor of the Associate building adjoining the Merrimack Clothing Company's store. This is the same store that was formerly known as "The Crystal." It has 30 feet frontage on Worthen street, extends back about 10 feet to Myrtle Hall avenue, which is also about 30 feet wide, giving an admirable entrance from Dutton street.

Should this offer meet with your approval, we would give the free use of the store for 30 days to test out the proposition. Coming at this time, when the press of Boston and Lowell is advocating recourse to this popular measure of bringing producers and consumers together, Lowell would be placing itself well in the lead by taking this initiative.

Awaiting your kind consideration, we remain, respectfully yours,
O'Sullivan Brothers,
Lessee Associate Bldg.

The mayor stated today that he would submit the letter to the municipal council at its next meeting.

Labor Registration
The following communication from civil service commission approving the action of the municipal council in the election of Patrick J. Reynolds as civil service labor registration clerk, and giving notice that the registration system will be installed on November 2, was received by Mayor Murphy today:

October 16, 1914.
Hon. Dennis J. Murphy, Mayor, Lowell, Mass.

I hereby notify you that the civil service commission will on the second day of November, 1914, provide for the registration and certification of laborers and mechanics in the departments of the city of Lowell under the provisions of civil service rule 29, and also the commission has appointed provisionally Mr. Patrick J. Reynolds as civil service labor registration clerk to have charge of the registration and certification at a salary of \$300 per year.

Very respectfully,
Warren P. Dudley,
Secretary.

SHOT ON BORDER

Five Men Wounded by Mexican Bullets at Naco, Arizona

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 17.—Five men, a civilian and four soldiers of the United States cavalry, were wounded today by Mexican bullets that flew far over the international boundary during an attack by Governor Maytorena's troops on the Carranza garrison of Naco, Sonora.

STEAMER CAUGHT IN GALE
SALEM, Oct. 17.—After drifting before a gale since last Tuesday when her foremast, mainmast, bowsprit and top mizenmast went by the board, the schooner Helen Montague was towed into port by the steamer Bucanar today. The Montague, which was bound for Salem with railroad ties, was off Fire Island when struck by the gale and her captain and crew of five men had much difficulty in keeping her afloat until they were sighted by the steamer Suffolk, Boston for Baltimore, yesterday morning. The Suffolk put out a line aboard the schooner and towed her until the Bucanar, bound for Boston, was sighted.

PROTEST AGAINST SEIZURE

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—Protests against the seizure of the American merchant ship Matapan by the French cruiser Conde in Mexican waters was filed in the senate today by Senator Thomas. A letter was submitted by the senator from R. W. Patterson, a passenger on the Matapan, who said officers of the Conde forced five Germans on board to sign parole agreements binding them not to fight against the allies in the European war.

DANCING EXHIBITION

Mr. Joseph Sheehey and Miss Hazel Mackey pleased a large audience at the Opera House last evening with an exhibition of the modern dances. From the moment the young couple appeared on the stage until after they had concluded their number, which included exhibitions of the one-step, maxine and hesitation, they held the attention of the audience and were frequently applauded.

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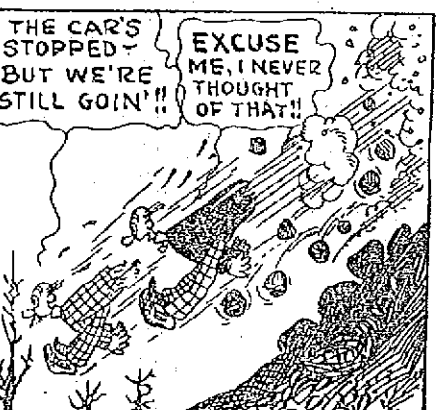
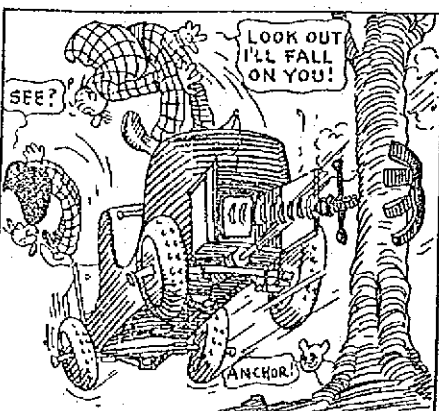
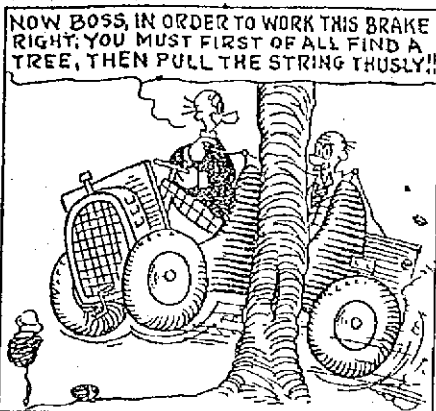
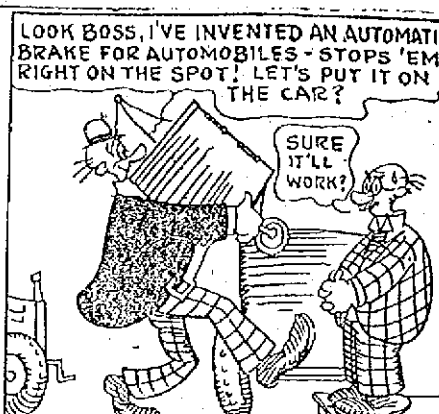
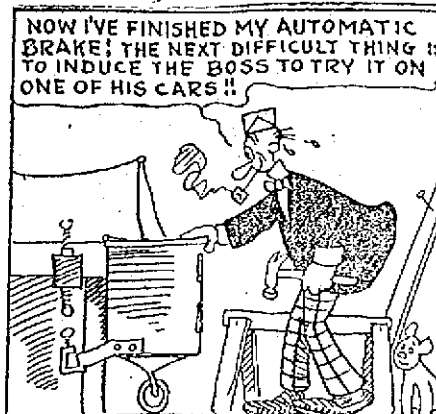
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EXCUSE ME



DEMANDS OF U.S.

VERA CRUZ, Oct. 17.—John R. Sullivan, President Wilson's personal representative in Mexico before leaving here for Mexico City reported to the state department at Washington that General Aguilar had promised to grant all the demands of the United States in connection with the evacuation of

Vera Cruz. Mr. Sullivan visited Aguilar's camp beyond the American lines last night and conferred with the general until a late hour regarding the promised evacuation by the United States and President Wilson's desires. It was suggested that the acts of General Aguilar after all were subject to the discussion of his superiors in the Mexican capital but Mr. Sullivan in reply said that the responsibility was wholly Aguilar's. The president's representative said he believed that the general's demands would satisfy Mr. Wilson.

SEVEN AMERICANS WOUNDED

NACO, Ariz., Oct. 17.—During the fighting last night in which General Benjamin Hill drove off General Maytorena's attack seven persons on the American side of the line here were wounded. This made a total of 17 wounded by Mexican bullets in the American town during the siege.

Four of those shot last night were troopers of the Ninth cavalry. Two of them are not expected to live. The others were Mexicans, two women and a man.

The Maytorena forces have paid no attention to the armistice ordered by the Aguirre Calientes peace conference.

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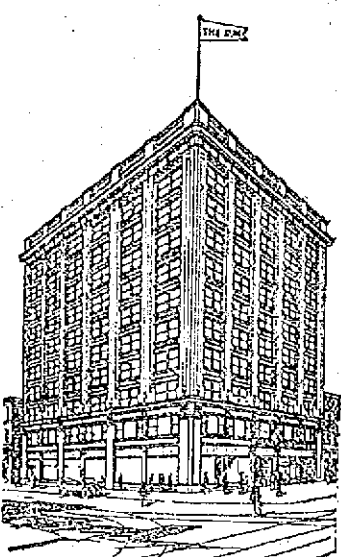
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WAR NEWS

GERMAN FORCES TO MARCH ON CALAIS AND BOULOGNE AFTER TAKING OSTEND

LONDON, Oct. 17.—German forces, as was predicted, have occupied Ostend near the sea, where the Germans' right wing and the allies' left are struggling in the latest phase of what was once the battle of the Aisne. All reports reaching London say that German imagination has been fired by the taking of Ostend and the cry is not only "On to Calais!" but "On to Boulogne!"

What progress, if any, the Germans have made since they entered Ostend Thursday morning is not known here, but their main objective apparently is Dunkirk. Opinion in England seems to differ as to what part the British fleet should play should the battle continue to skirt the coastline, and the reports that British dreadnaughts would back up the French, British and Belgian forces from the straits of Dover seem to originate in German sources.

London papers generally decry the importance of the German occupation of the Belgian coastline, pointing out that the British mine field prevents the enemy bringing ships to operate from the more important harbor of Ostend. The fact remains, however, that as the fighting gets geographically nearer to England, the public, hitherto discussing and speculating on a Zeppelin raid, is bound to ask itself: "What will come next?"

It is unquestionably true that if Germany is able to engineer submarine attacks from a base farther away, Ostend if held by the invaders certainly would be of some strategic value.

The allies' left is holding ground. At some points it is even moving forward, having occupied Laventie, driving the Germans back in the direction of Lille. One report had it that the Germans had been driven out of Lille, but this has not been confirmed. The presence of Uhlans has been reported recently within 40 miles of Calais but a glance at the map in the region of the cavalry clashes of the last few days, which for a time extended as far west as Hazebrouck, shows that notwithstanding the German claims of victories the allies have made steady progress. Laventie being considerably east of the town mentioned.

Russians Claim Victory

Little news came during the morning of fighting along the Vistula river, where the Russians claim to have repulsed a German attack. Whether the German advance on Warsaw has been permanently checked only the future can show.

One version has it that the Germans are preparing to winter in Poland.

According to a despatch from Petrograd dated Friday but received here today, the Russians now have opened their attack along the entire line, with special energy in the south, where General Brusiloff's cavalry is said to have captured several Austrian detachments together with trains carrying reinforcements and supplies. In retreating from Warsaw, it is said that the Germans lost 42 guns intended for the siege of that city.

Gigantic Battle

Preparations are under way for a gigantic battle in the eastern arena of the war where Austrians and German armies have taken positions along the Vistula and San rivers and are ready for eventualities. The re-taking of Przemyśl, as announced from Austrian sources has permitted the unfolding of the power of the Austrians from the direction of Lemberg and their advance in the southern Carpathian mountains is menacing the extreme left wing of the Russians. Desperate fighting already is going on along the center of the two armies on the banks of the Vistula. This action has been in a measure delayed, owing to the bad condition of the roads in southern Poland and presence of sections of swampy land. This condition has made necessary detours on the part of the Austrian and German forces. The Russian army is east of the Vistula. This fact is regarded in Berlin as making its advance and the general management of the campaign a difficult matter and at the same time unfavorable.

Germans Gaining Ground

The Russian attack on the Austrians and Germans, unless they succeed in recrossing the Vistula which would be a difficult undertaking at the present time will not be an easy matter. It is understood here that heavy fighting for possession of the bridge at the head of the Vistula is imminent.

According to a despatch from Zurich, Switzerland, to the Cologne Gazette the French are in a position to the east of Belfort. Since last Tuesday they have been reaching into Alsace subjected meanwhile to a heavy mortar fire. This fighting has been very heavy and the Germans are said to be gaining ground slowly.

GERMANS JOIN VICTORIOUS TROOPS FROM ANTWERP TO THE MAIN ARMY

LONDON, Oct. 17.—Within 100 miles of London—viewed from its effect on the immediate fortunes of the opposing armies—the fighting which has marked this colossal campaign is at present abating and moving along a line stretching through Belgium and farther westward into the French department of the north. The Germans have prepared for a renewal of their vigorous offensive by joining their victorious troops from Antwerp to the main army.

More is published in British newspapers of German reinforcements than of accessions to the ranks of the allied armies.

Meanwhile the German offensive is meeting just as strenuous an offensive

THE ALLIED LEFT WHICH REMAINS THE MOST IMPORTANT POSITION AS IT HAS BEEN THROUGHOUT THE CAMPAIGN.

"Everywhere our ground has been held and at some points ground has been gained" is the latest report from General Joffre, commander-in-chief of the French army, on the operations in this particular field.

The latest official statement is silent regarding events there. The British war information also is sphygmographic as to current events, contenting itself with amusing the nation by trivial allusions having no direct bearing on the campaign.

The only statement that had emanated from the bureau up to 2 o'clock in the afternoon today was denial intended to lay the ghosts of the rumors that followed the sinking of the British cruiser Hawke. There is no truth in this particular field. Any vessel of his majesty's navy has been sunk or have otherwise met with disaster other than those about which announcements have already been made, said the official pronouncement.

DUTCH STEAMER TUBANTIA WENT ASHORE ON COAST OF KENT

LONDON, Oct. 17.—In a despatch from Dover the correspondent of the Evening News says: "The Dutch steamer Tubantia of the Royal Holland line went ashore on the coast of Kent today while on her way to Rotterdam from Buenos Ayres, which port she left Sept. 25."

The Tubantia is believed to have a large number of passengers on board. Assistance has been summoned from Dover and other ports.

TRAWLER BLOWN UP IN THE NORTH SEA BY GERMAN MINE

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The steam trawler Ajax, out of Grimsby, has been blown up in the North sea by a German mine. Nine members of the crew lost their lives.

BRITISH AEROPLANE HAS BEEN BROUGHT DOWN NEAR PERONNE, FRANCE

BERLIN, Oct. 17.—(Via wireless)—A British aeroplane has been brought to the ground near Peronne, France, by a well directed shot. Both the aviator and the machine were damaged. The aviator acting in the capacity of observer was later found to be Colonel Grey, a brother of the British secretary for foreign affairs.

GERMAN POLICE HAVE ENTERED THE BRITISH CONSULATE IN BERLIN

LONDON, Oct. 17.—"According to reports reaching here from Berlin" telegraphs the Exchange Telegraph Co.'s correspondent of the Hague, German police have entered the British consulate in Berlin, where the British relief committee has been working in cooperation with the American embassy and arrested everyone on the premises. No explanation of this course was given. Mr. Weston, secretary of the committee, and his assistant will be held in custody until the end of the war."

\$5,000,000 HAS REACHED CONSTANTINOPLE FROM GERMANY

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Exchange Telegraph Co. has given out a despatch from its Athens correspondent who says that the German government has remitted already to the Turkish government a sum of \$5,000,000 which has reached Constantinople from Germany.

NOTRE DAME AND YALE

NEITHER ELEVEN SCORED IN THE FIRST PERIOD—YALE SCORED 7 POINTS IN SECOND

NEW HAVEN, Oct. 17.—Notre Dame fumbled the kickoff in today's game with Yale and the Blue securing the ball in midfield fumbled, too, on the first play. The field was very slippery. Other fumbles followed and the ball changed hands often. Coffalon of Notre Dame twice made long runs. Both teams resorted to kicking when found it impossible to gain. Notre Dame made first down five times in the first period. There was no scoring in this period.

Second period: Yale, 7; Notre Dame, 0.

TO BUY MONTICELLO

NATIONAL SOCIETY OF DESCENDANTS OF SIGNERS OF DECLARATION APPROVE PURCHASE

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Resolutions approving of the proposed purchase by the United States at the Thomas Jefferson home at Monticello, Va., were adopted at a governor's meeting of the National Society of the Descendants of Independence today. It was voted to hold the next annual congress of the society at the Panama-Pacific exposition in San Francisco in October, 1915.

NO AGREEMENT YET

Employees of the Massachusetts Northeastern railway are anxiously awaiting a settlement between the employees of the Bay State street railway and the company officials so that Organizer Fred Fay may find time to consult the first mentioned company relative to the new wage schedule which is now pending with the officials of that road. Both agreements expired on October 1.

Daily conferences are being held between the officials of the Bay State Street railway and representatives of the union who ask for an increase in wages. The company turned down the demand and a compromise figure is to be settled upon.

TWO RESCUED AT BIG FIRE IN WORCESTER 1,200,000 IN ENGLISH ARMY CARMAN MURDER TRIAL WILL OPEN ON MONDAY

WORCESTER, Oct. 17.—About \$100,000 worth of musical instruments, chiefly pianos, organs and violins and their appurtenances, went up in smoke last night between 9 o'clock and midnight, when the Walnut street annex of the Day building was gutted by the most spectacular fire Worcester has seen in many years.

Seventeen years ago, on March 5, 1897, the same structure was the scene of a fire that entailed a loss of about \$300,000. The fire last night will cost about half that sum, according to the estimates of Chief Wesley N. Avery of the fire department.

The principal damage by the blaze last night was in the Walnut street annex, although most of the occupants of the main street section of the building suffered from smoke and the tons of water that was poured into the flames by nearly every place of fire apparatus in Worcester, summoned by three alarms.

It is estimated that the damage to this section of the building will be about \$50,000.

Many Studios Ruined

The building is four stories high on the Eden street side and five stories high at the east end on Walnut street. It was a nest of studios and practically every occupant suffered a total loss of his musical instruments and furniture.

The tenants were George E. Goldwin and Arthur J. James, piano and organ contractors; Worcester company of the Uniform Rank, Knights of Pythias; G. Alfred Busby, tailor; Frank Arnold, investments; The Nantasket Realty Trust; Freda Anderson, massage rooms; Mrs. M. E. Scott, nurse; Adelaide E. Lyford, vocal teacher; Wilhelmina Baldwin, vocal teacher; J. Edward Bouvier, music teacher; Walter B. Eaton, music teacher; Mary McCarron, music teacher; Mrs. Lillian Hanson Gray, music teacher, with six studios; Louis Schick, music teacher; Francis R. A. McGlynn, music teacher; Women's Christian Temperance Union rooms; Mary J. Sharpy, manicure rooms; Frederick W. Mark, contractor; R. H. Howe, employment office; E. B. Dayman, insurance office; John E. Dayman, office; Franklin D. Keith, manager; J. M. Nichols, dressmaking rooms; M. Winnet, dressmaker; Alice C. Heaphy, music teacher; Mrs. A. L. Gay, dressmaker; Ardella Farnum, psychoanalyst; Idella A. Clark, music teacher; James L. Laflour, music teacher; Mrs. Mary E. Hall, corsets; Arthur J. Mitchell, violin teacher; Alfred R. Frank, music teacher; Olive N. Brooks, music teacher; William Miles, music studio; J. S. R. Coy, music teacher; Frederick J. Lam, music teacher; Stillman F. Morse, investments; Charles L. Rawson, office; Nellie L. Troy, hair goods dealer; A. Lester Barlow, tailor; M. S. T. Nahligin, insurance; Pythian Hall; May E. Corie, music teacher; Winifred Maynard, music teacher; Olive N. Brooks, music teacher; M. E. Fitzgerald, music teacher; Walter W. Farmer, music teacher; Hultman-McQuaid School of Music; Carolyn King Hunt, music teacher; Worcester County Music School; Edward L. Sumner, music teacher; Kate A. Sumner, music teacher; Michael J. Toner, city plumbing inspector; Josephine Knight, music teacher; May Sleeper Ruggier, music teacher; Woodbury & Co., photographic department; Stenberg & Co., interior decorators, and Maurice Johnson, up-lifters.

Heavy Loss in Piano Store

The principal losses on the main street side are M. Steinert & Sons, music dealers, who had in their warehouses 16 grand pianos, 15 player pianos and 60 upright pianos, varying in price up to \$1500, 20 Victor machines and \$3000 worth of records; the Sanford Putnam company, wholesalers and retail dealers in stationery, and the Worcester Branch of the Ives Johnson Sporting Goods company. The stocks in all these stores were badly damaged by water.

The rear portion of the upper floors of the main street side was damaged by the fire, including the quarters formerly occupied by the Red Men's lodge of Worcester. The cellar of the Ives Johnson Sporting Goods company was filled with water.

The fire was burning some time before it was discovered, and when the first apparatus reached the scene the upper part of the building was a mass of flames that were breaking through the windows and the roof.

The first man to see the flames was Attorney General, who saw the bright light through the windows on the Walnut street side from his office in the State Mutual building. He telephoned to fire headquarters and about the same time George Reed, night clerk at Hotel Pelham, saw flames shooting from the upper windows and sent in an alarm from hotel 17. The alarm was followed by two others, summoning practically the entire department, because the building is surrounded by frame houses on the west side.

The rain had soaked the roofs of these houses so that the falling embers, blown all over the business section of the city, smoldered and went out under the downpour.

Rescued by Firemen

William Menard, the fireman of the building, who occupied room 431 on the fourth floor, emerged from his room to find the hallway filled with flames, which seemed to be coming from room 432. He had to drop on his hands and knees and grope his way through dense smoke until he lost his way and tumbled down a flight of stairs to the third floor, where he was able to make his escape to the street. W. Richard Mooney of 23 Canton street was caught on the third floor by the dense smoke and was found near a window in an unconscious condition by Laddermen Henry Brown and Andrew O'Brien of Ladder 3 and taken down the ladder to the street. He was hurried to the City hospital in a police ambulance, but the hospital physicians say he will come out all right.

Mrs. Freda Anderson was being a treatment in Mrs. Eva Harrison in her massage room when the fire early caught them, and they grabbed up a few articles of clothing and escaped through the hallways into the main street section, scantily clad. Mrs. Mary E. Williamson, a dressmaker in the main street section, was nearly overcome by smoke and had to be taken from the building by firemen.

The Ladies Social Circle of the Junior Order of United American Mechanics was having a business meeting in Pythian hall when the fire broke out, and the 75 women present found their escape cut off on the Walnut street side and had to make their way through the smoke-filled hallways to the main street section. The women sat shortly before the fire broke out they heard five explosions in rapid succession.

While the firemen were fighting there were three other explosions, probably caused by hot air, that blew windows out of the third and fourth stories clear across Walnut street. Within 10 minutes after the fire was discovered the flames broke through the roof and belched up the entire center of the city, necessitating thousands of people.

At 11 o'clock the firemen had the flames under control.

ANOTHER BIG FIRE

Worcester Hotel Destroyed By Blaze, Causing a Loss Estimated at \$5,000

WORCESTER, Oct. 17.—Fire destroyed the Surfside hotel in Western avenue early today, causing a loss estimated at \$5,000. The fire started in a kitchen in the basement of an unknown cause. Three men and the watchman who were sleeping in the building had narrow escapes.

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The Times correspondent replying to the Frankfurter Zeitung's statement that Great Britain was unable to raise more than 650,000 troops, says:

"We have at the present moment exactly double that number, namely, 1,200,000 men and the number grows almost faster than we can cope with. This is only the beginning."

"It is our way, as well as that of America, to begin to raise arms after war breaks out and to go on raising them until our ultimate ends are achieved. With 1,200,000 men at home, the army in the field and the hundreds of thousands forming in India, Canada, Australia, and elsewhere are merely the nucleus upon which other armies will eventually be built."

"It is only a question of time. It is equally a question of an empire of 400,000,000 can never lack men. This war for us has hardly begun. We have sent merely an advanced guard into France. In the spring the remainder of the advanced guard will follow and somewhere toward the end of 1915 the main body will begin to come to within view."

"We are sorry for the allies that

are even slower than Russia in making our weight felt, but a year or so hence, when the allies need a rest, we shall be in a position to make good war."

"Nothing can arrest the steadily ascending figures of our army. Their cost is of little account since Germany will ultimately have to pay in territory as well as in money."

"Imagine conditions at their worst—imagine the last Cossack on the Urals and the last French doorkeeper evicted from Bordeaux—then we would begin a martial war against Germany and still be no worse off than when we began war against Napoleon."

MUNICIPAL GOVERNMENT

Study in Per Capita Cost Showing Standing of Lowell as Compared With Other Cities of Same Class

The experts of the First National bank of Boston have made public a compilation of figures showing the per capita expenditures of the cities of New England, with Lowell coming fifth among the eight cities which have populations between 100,000 and 300,000.

In all of these eight cities, according to the experts, the per capita expenses are far less than those of the average American city of the same class, and the interest on the indebtedness is also considerably less.

The letter in which these figures appear is published under date of Oct. 15 and the figures presented are those obtained in about the middle of March of the present year, and refer to 1913, a fact that is especially interesting by reason of the loud claims of municipal extravagance made by certain newspapers and by Mayor Murphy while on the stump last fall, against last year's administration. Figures on which the experts have based their opinion were those of the expenditures of the past administration and the experts state that under these figures Lowell compares favorably with the other cities of New England and that its expenses and the interest on its indebtedness are far below the average American cities of the same class.

This report it would seem should set at rest the false claims made by the enemies of the past administration relative to extravagance and waste of public money.

Just how Lowell will compare with the other cities after this administration has finished its career of high finance is something that time alone will tell.

The average American city, says this authority, having a population between 100,000 and 300,000 has a per capita expenditure of but \$26.46, while the city of Lowell has a per capita expenditure of but \$12.98, barely a little over one-half of what the average American city bears. Just two other cities in New England have a smaller per capita, and these are Fall River and Hartford, Conn. heads the list with \$13.30, and others following are: Worcester, \$17.32; Cambridge, \$17.31, and New Haven, \$14.20.

The per capita cost of maintaining the police department of Lowell is less than in any of the other cities in the class aforementioned, it being but \$1.35 per annum. The average of American cities of this class is \$2.73 for the support of the police system. Bridgeport pays \$1.38 per capita for its police, Fall River, \$1.42; Worcester, \$1.46; New Bedford, \$1.48; Cambridge, \$1.72; New Haven, \$1.76, and Hartford, \$1.92.

Four of the eight cities the fire department costs more per capita than does the police department. Local conditions, of course, are responsible for this, and just what these conditions are is not known. They undoubtedly vary greatly in different cities. In Lowell the fire department cost per capita is \$1.59, 24 cents more per capita than the police department cost. But in Hartford the fire department cost is \$2.43 per capita, or 55 cents more than the cost of the police department. In New Haven it costs more per capita to support the police than it does to support the fire department. In Bridgeport the cost of the fire department is \$1.30 per capita, or 44 more cents than the cost of maintenance of the police department. But in Cambridge it costs much more for the police department, \$1.72 for the police, against \$1.32 for the fire department. In New Bedford an almost similar condition prevails, where the police department costs \$1.63 per capita, while the fire department costs but \$1.26 per capita.

For sanitation and that includes the cost of maintaining the health department and allied departments, Lowell occupies a mid-position among the New England cities.

Cambridge, easily leads in this matter, the per capita assessment for sanitation being \$1.32, although this is considerably short of the average cost of \$1.32 for the same purpose, where the per capita cost for sanitation is \$2.22. Following behind Cambridge is New Bedford, often compared with Lowell, which pays for sanitation \$1.60 per capita assessment. Hartford, Conn., is next, with \$1.42; Worcester next with \$1.27, and then comes Lowell in fifth position, with \$1.06. Bridgeport, a city of larger population than Lowell, pays but 95 cents per capita for sanitation, while Fall River, also of greater population, has a per capita assessment of but 90 cents.

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

"Little Lost Sister," Virginia Brook's play of great human interest will be presented by the Merrimack Square Theatre, Merrimack Square, Lowell, Mass., on Monday afternoon. The play was written as a result of Miss Brook's investigations which brought about vigorous action against evil conditions in Chicago. Although based on a subject which is taboed in most families, the play is in no way offensive. Virginia Brook, known as the woman who cleaned up Hammond, Ind., near Chicago has written a story with a big punch that is well aimed and it goes home with certainty and effect. The great question is handled in a frank manner, but there is not a word, suggestion or action to give offense.

Dramatized by Edward E. Ross and Arthur James Rogers, the former well known locally as the author of "David Harum," "The Prisoner of Zenda" and "The Rosary." It is an unusual play, dealing with life in the underworld and with that phase of life which is the most repulsive to the average citizen. The play has been so strongly attracted the attention of American investigators, writers, dramatists, municipal, state and federal officials, that it has been called "The Little Lost Sister"—there can be no manner of question that it is the most powerful drama which has been written on this mighty problem.

The play contains many strongly drawn characters, that is, characters which tell the story in a clear, convincing manner, yet in a way which would not offend the most sensitive. Sam A. Maharry has been allotted the leading male roles and will no doubt make it most acceptable. Miss Eva Marsh, the company's leading lady will play the title role and all who know her character as "The Girl of the Year" and who have seen her work, can realize that she can be relied upon to do the part justice. The other characters—there are no many more to relate than all would require a column—will all be placed in the hands of those capable of handling them and Win. B. Freeman has personally seen to it that the grating of the place promises, the scenic embellishments to be faultless.

Tomorrow the first of a series of big Sunday concerts will be given and among the variety acts to appear will be Derva, the human nightingale. There will also be numerous high class photo-plays.

THE OWL THEATRE

"Resurrection" is a play that is well adapted to motion pictures. Its many tragic scenes, and various climaxes, and its powerful and moving story, and with Blanche Walsh in the role she has made famous in this production, it is safe to say, this is one of the highest class attractions yet to be seen by the Lowell public. Five excellent photo-plays, including a Keystone comedy, "Our Mutual Girl," "Daphne," and others complete today's show.

BLAMES THE METAPAN

CAPTAIN PEARSON OF FREIGHTER IOWAN SAYS FRUIT STEAMER DISREGARDED SIGNALS

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—The American Hawaiian freighter Iowan, which was in collision in the fog with the United Fruit company's incoming steamer Metapan, came from her overnight anchorage in Gravesend Bay early yesterday. Capt. Pearson said:

"I was proceeding slowly in my proper course and because of the fog was blowing my whistle at frequent intervals. I heard the signals of the Metapan when she was about 300 yards away, telling me to keep in my course. I answered that I would do so."

"Suddenly the frigate appeared through the fog, scarcely 100 yards away. She changed her course and made directly across my bow. I reversed my engines and dropped both anchors, but was too late to avoid collision. The manner in which the Metapan was injured, the injuries to my own vessel and the fact that the Metapan was headed toward the shoals across the port side of the channel will prove the truth of my statements."

The Metapan settled deeper into the water today, and her forward part from bow to bridge was completely submerged at high tide last night. This midship and stern sections were still well out of water, but with a heavy easterly swell running outside Sandy Hook, wreckers pronounced the Metapan's situation serious. No attempt was made during the day to float the vessel.

The work of saving the cargo was begun and 4000 bunches of bananas were taken ashore on a barge. Today an effort will be made to save the coffee in her hold.

NEW YORK, Oct. 17.—When Mrs. Florence Carman is placed on trial for her life in the Lincoln supreme court on Monday, the state, through District Attorney Smith, will claim that in a jealous rage she killed Mrs. Louise Bailey with a shot intended for her husband, Dr. Edwin Carman.

Assistant District Attorney Weeks says that the prosecution will contend that Mrs. Carman overheard over the dictograph the conversation which determined her to kill her husband; that she ran down stairs and asked her daughter Elizabeth to stop playing so that she could hear more distinctly; that she returned to her room, that she listened to further conversation, that she came down stairs again, left the house by way of the kitchen, that

she went to the front of the house and that she fired through the same window through which two months before she spied upon a nurse who visited her husband's office.

It will be claimed that Dr. Carman was not in the position he stated at the time of the murder. He claimed he was standing to the west of the door and that he was shut off from view of anyone standing by the window, by his medical cabinet.

The state will assert, and will attempt to prove through witnesses, that the doctor was in line of range from anyone holding a pistol at the window, and that he jumped out of the path of the bullet which killed Mrs. Bailey.

Want to Make Movie of Crime

A proposal to stage the celebrated Carman murder case as a six-act motion picture feature. It is reported, has been made to Mrs. Carman's husband, Dr. Edwin Carman.

As the subject is reported to have been broached to Dr. Carman, the six-act feature is to begin at the Carman house and follow the story of the assassination into the very room in which Mrs. Bailey was shot to death. Other scenes are to be laid about the Lincoln jail and the county court house, the scene of the trial.

Dr. Carman is reported to have spoken to one of his intimates some what in this fashion:

"My wife is certainly the most widely known woman in this country. I've had an offer from a moving picture company to put the murder on as a reel feature. I've been offered all the way from \$50,000 to \$100,000 for the rights."

Attorneys for Mrs. Carman were yesterday preparing to combat the testimony that will be offered by a hitherto hidden witness at her trial.

The witness is Lynn Smith of Portland, Me., and the testimony he is expected to give is that there was a 38-caliber revolver in the Carman home shortly before the killing of Mrs. Bailey.

Much stress has been laid by the defense upon the failure to find a weapon of the calibre with which Mrs. Bailey was slain. It was declared that no such weapon had ever been in the possession of Dr. Carman or his wife.

Smith is the "mystifying" witness whose testimony District Attorney Smith was reported to rely on as one of the strongest helps to a conviction. So far as known Smith did not appear before the grand jury which indicted Mrs. Carman and his identity has been carefully guarded by Mr. Smith since a few days after the inquest.

Hint at Revenge

It was intimated that Smith's willingness to be a witness against Mrs. Carman might be based upon a desire for revenge. Surrogate John J. Graham of Nassau county, chief counsel for the accused woman, said yesterday that the new witness had been involved in a \$1000 deal with Mrs. Carman several years ago, in which he got rather the worst of it. He also asserted that Smith had been a client of the district attorney before the latter took office.

The defense is also ready for a sensational attack upon the methods employed by the prosecution in obtaining evidence. Sharp criticism of the methods employed to make Cecil Coleman, a negro man in the Carman home, "disappear" will be made and the motives which actuated Frank Farrell, the so-called tramp, to seek the district attorney and tell of seeing a woman at the window the night when the fatal shot was fired, will also be attacked.

DETAILS FOR TRIAL COMPLETE

MINNEOLA, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Every detail has been arranged today for the beginning of the trial of Mrs. Florence Carman for the murder of Mrs. Louise Bailey in the office of Mrs. Carman's husband, Dr. Edwin Carman, at Freeport on June 30. The 150 tal-

men for the first panel have been subpoenaed and the selection of jurors will begin Monday morning.

A peculiarity of the panel of talesmen drawn for the trial of Mrs. Carman is that nearly half of them live within a few miles of Freeport, in which village Mrs. Bailey was killed and nearly a dozen live in Hempstead which was the home of the murdered woman.

TROOPS FROM CANADA

ARE CAMPING AT SALISBURY, ENG.

—MANY NATURALIZED AMERICANS AMONG THEM

SALISBURY, Eng., Oct. 17.—Beginning before dawn yesterday from stations within a radius of 10 miles, Canadian troops have been pouring into camps prepared for them on the rolling Salisbury Plains, near here.

Long before dawn the sleepy old villages scattered over the country were awakened by the clang of hoofs on the hard roads.

Those who listened heard a strange melody. The notes of "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" mingled with the Spanish American war favorite, "There'll be a Hot Time in the Old Town Tonight," and other American ragtime airs resounded in the quiet English dale.

Along the roads the troops everywhere were received with enthusiasm. The people expecting a wild west display, however, were disappointed, for such the execution of the soldiers worn by the cavalry, the uniforms of the Canadians are much the same as those of the English troops.

The greatest contrast between the English forces and the Canadians is the difference in physique. The Canadians are on an average much larger men and stronger looking than their English comrades.

There is a surprising number of naturalized Americans among these Canadian forces.

HAS GRUESOME FIND

FISHERMAN PULLS UP WOMAN'S HAIR ON HOOK IN LAKE COB-BOSSECONTEE

NEWBURYPORT, Oct. 17.—Percy B. Jackson of this city who has just returned from Maine, says that while fishing in Lake Coboscontee in Winthrop several days ago he found something on his line that seemed to be unusually heavy. When he succeeded in pulling in his line he was horrified to find a large bunch of human hair on the hook, evidently from the head of a woman.

Mr. Jackson has since concluded that the affair ought to be looked into and says that he will communicate with the Winthrop officials.

POLICE HAVE A CLUE

TO THE PARTIES WHO STOLE MONEY AND JEWELRY FROM KEITH'S THEATRE

No important arrests have yet been made in connection with the robbery which occurred in the dressing room at Keith's theatre last Monday afternoon. Lieut. Martin Maher, Sergt. David Petrie and Inspector Walsh have been working on the case and although several boys have been brought to the police station and put through the third degree, none seemed to know much about the matter and as all who released have been police detectives are still working on clues which may result in arrests in the near future.

FOR INDIANS AND FILIPINOS

Lake Mohont Conference Urges Improved Conditions in Oklahoma and Faithful Administration in Islands

MOHONT LAKE, N. Y., Oct. 17.—Unless the legislature of Oklahoma gives "early and adequate provision" to the Indians in that state, the federal government should resume full jurisdiction over them, in the opinion of the Lake Mohont conference, which last night adopted a platform dealing with conditions among the civilized tribes of Oklahoma.

The platform considers also conditions in the Philippines, declaring that "the American people, having accepted the privilege and responsibility of settling the inhabitants of the Philippine Islands for self-government, their undertaking should be prosecuted with conviction and fidelity by government officials."

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SUN REAL ESTATE AND BUILDERS' PAGE

WITH THE HOME BUILDERS

Real Estate and Building Operations in Lowell and Vicinity—Brokers View of the Outlook

Several prominent real estate brokers expressed the opinion yesterday that this past week has been one of the very best financially in the real estate business for some time. They declared to be encouraging, although the difficulty of raising the money to buy or build is still in evidence to some extent, and this has a material effect upon the real estate business. However, the outlook is very promising, said one broker. "There are many people who want to own their own homes either by purchase or by building a new dwelling and there are many others who are desirous of increasing their real estate holdings, but the chief obstacle in their way is the tightness of money at the present time. The banks are slow to lend."

Very many people are having extensive work done on their property in the line of additions and remodeling and enlarging. There are also many new homes being constructed or about to be constructed in various parts of the city. The number of permits at city hall was large this week, and the general outlook at the present time is considered quite encouraging.

Building Two Bungalows

Mr. Charles P. Witham plans to construct two new bungalows on his property on Putnam avenue. The site of the first is at 9 Putnam avenue. The bungalow will contain five rooms and bath and will be constructed according to the newest plans for comfort and convenience. Wood is to be the principal material used in the building, and the measurements are to be 26 by 32 feet. The second bungalow will be built on the site at 15 Putnam avenue and will be similar to that above described in practically every respect. Both are to be heated by steam.

Mr. Witham is also going to erect a dwelling house at 12 Putnam avenue. The house will contain eight rooms, pantry and bath, foundation of stone.

and will be steam heated. All three buildings will be erected at considerable cost because the best material will be used in their construction. They will constitute attractive additions to the property in that vicinity.

To Comply With Garage Law

The Sawyer Carriage company, lessees of the building in Worthington street owned by the Sawco-Lowell shops, is to have the garage remodeled to comply with the new law which recently went into effect and which caused no north inconvertible to auto men in this city. Various changes are being made to conform with the state law. The interior is being deepened by plastering the walls with cement plaster and a new concrete floor is to be constructed. The work will be completed within a reasonably short space of time.

To Have New Garage

Dr. H. J. McCuskey is to have a new garage constructed in the rear of his residence at 216 Methuen street. The garage is to be constructed of cement blocks and will have a foundation of concrete and a roof of sheet iron, rendering the building absolutely fireproof. The measurements are 20 by 23 feet and the garage when completed will accommodate two cars.

The imposing residence of George M. Harrigan at 61 Marlborough street is to undergo extensive remodeling and will have several additions. The main feature of the changing over of this house is the building of an addition for a dining room and pantry on the first floor. The addition will have a piazza on front and rear, and a new front piazza is to be constructed upon the main portion of the present dwelling. The second story of the addition is to contain a chamber, bath and sleeping porch. Several changes are to be made on the interior, including the moving of several partitions, changing over the stairway, and rebuilding the front stairs, construction of a vestibule and the laying of new floors. The work will be done at a cost of approximately \$5000.

Charles E. Watt will have constructed a new dwelling house of one apartment containing eight rooms, pantry and bath. The building will measure 25 by 32 feet, and will have a foundation of stone and concrete, and apparatus for steam heating. Wood is to be the chief material of the construction. The total cost will probably exceed \$2500. The site of this building will be Mr. Watt's property at 203 Princeton street.

A one-apartment dwelling is to be constructed by Lena E. Lunan on her land at 456 Beacon street. The new house is to contain seven rooms, pantry, bath and a large reception hall. The foundation is to be of stone and concrete. The method of heating will be by steam. The dwelling will have one front piazza.

Mary J. Calvert is having her home at 65 Dalton street remodeled to the extent of the construction of an addition to the one-story all of one story building. This will change the one apartment house into a house suitable for the accommodation of two families. There will be considerable work to be done on the interior and doors will be cut into the addition. It will add several new rooms to the present house.

The lot at 32 Maryland avenue is the site of another one-apartment dwelling which is to be built in the near future by A. Estelle Rindlett. The house, according to the plans, is to measure 25 feet by 22 feet and will contain six rooms, pantry and bath. Foundation is to be constructed of stone and the house will be heated by a furnace. A piazza is to be built on the front and on one side.

David and Margaret Jones are planning to build an addition of one story to their home at 71 Newbury street for a new kitchen, chamber and bath.

G. P. Gately is having constructed a new house and shed in the rear of his house at 109 Forest street. It will have a brick foundation and will be of shod construction.

A new garage is to be built by Grace R. Saunders in the rear of her house at 67 South Loring street. The building will be built of wood with a concrete foundation and will measure 16 by 25 feet.

Mary Scanlan is to build an addition to her residence at 318 Adams street for new baths.

Mr. Elmer R. Bartlett, owner of the beautiful property known as "Riverview on the Concord," reports the following sales: Lot 2, corner Atherton avenue and Water street to Bridget L. Gill, Lowell.

who has built. Lots 111, 112 and 113 Water street to Andrew Acker, Dorchester, who will build in spring. Lots 471 and 472 Bridge road to Alice E. Hall et al. Leominster, Park avenue, lots 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466 to F. H. Stone, Lancaster. Lots 355 to 411 inclusive to H. E. Frazer, Lowell. Woodlawn avenue lot 155 to Frank Dunn, Lowell. Lot 189 to Sarah Green, Lowell. Lots 205 to 235 inclusive to Charlie Lacombe, Lowell, who is building. Lots 205 to 215 to F. H. Porter, Lowell, who will build. Lots 217 to 223 to Lucy Kay, who has a house all built on Elmwood avenue. Lots 273 to 281 to Lucy Kay, Lowell street. Lots 50 to 57 to Elmer Reid. Deeds have passed.

Thomas H. Elliott

Thomas H. Elliott, real estate broker, offices 64 Franklin street, Prescott, reports the following sales negotiated during the past week ending Friday, Oct. 16th.

The sale of a most attractive cottage property situated at 21 May street near its junction with Tremont street. The house has seven excellent rooms and bath. It occupies an unusually pleasant location affording a splendid outlook over the city and surrounding country to the west and north. There is a fine garden spot on the place devoted to shrubbery, flowers and fruit trees. The land conveyed approximately 4000 sq. feet assessed at the rate of 12c per foot. The transfer is effected on behalf of the estate of the late John L. Currier, the grantee being Mr. and Mrs. Hayden D. Russell who purchase for personal occupancy.

Contracts have been signed on the purchase and sale of a handsome suburban property situated in Chelmsford Centre. The place comprises four acres of the highest grade land laid out for the most part to orchard and garden. The house is full two and one-half story with nine excellent rooms and bath. It is heated with hot water and lighted with gas. The floors are of polished hardwood throughout. The transfer is effected on behalf of a resident owner, the purchaser being from out-of-town and buying for personal occupancy.

Sales by E. P. Slattery, Jr.

Edward P. Slattery, Jr., real estate and insurance, with office at 604 Sun building, reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16, 1914:

Contracts have been signed on the purchase and sale of a very fine parcel of investment property situated near Broadway. The property consists of a four tenement and a cottage house, tenement having four rooms. Land to the amount of 3200 square feet of land is conveyed. The property is assessed for nearly \$3500. Names of grantor and grantee will be given later.

Sales by Harrows Brothers

Harrows Bros., with offices at 299 Pine street, report the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16:

The sale of a nine room house in Wentworth avenue. This house has nine large square rooms and den. There is a laundry connected, with separate wash trays, hot and cold water and also a very roomy and well appointed bathroom. The floors are all quartered oak downstairs and the living room has a very elaborate brick fireplace. The cellar is cemented and the house heated by a two-pipe steam system. A large stable is conveyed with title, also 3000 feet of land at an assessed value of seven cents per square foot. The sale was negotiated in behalf of W. L. Smith, the grantee.

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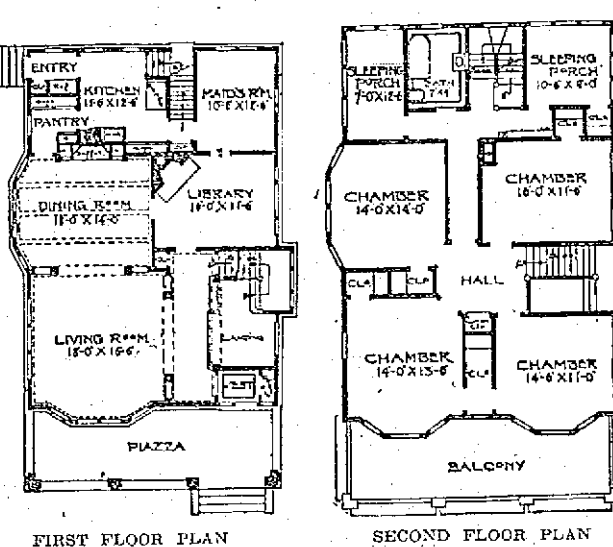
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PERSPECTIVE VIEW—From a Photograph



This exterior is finished up to the height of the lower window sills with oriental brick, rough cast above and half timber effect in second and third stories. The half timber is Washington fir stained deep brown, a very pleasing combination. This plan would make an ideal one for a corner lot. The living room and staircase hall extend across the front. Back of the hall is the library with open fireplace. The main's room is at the rear of this room, the dining room has a built-in buffet and beamed ceiling. The pantry and kitchen arrangement is complete. There are four chambers in the second story and two sleeping porches; also a large bath. This plan has been carefully studied out. Size, 34 feet wide and 45 feet deep. Full basement. First story, 9 feet 6 inches; second story, 8 feet 6 inches. Finished in white oak throughout first story. Pine to paint in second story, with birch or mahogany doors. White oak floors downstairs. Birch or maple floors in second story. Cost to build, exclusive of heating and plumbing, \$5500.

being Mr. Gustaf Johnson, an overseer of the Saco-Lowell shops, who buys for a home.

Also the sale of a single house near Moody street. This house, although a single dwelling house, is constructed so that it can be occupied by two families. It is being sold to settle an estate. The grantee is an out of town woman, buying for a home and investment.

Sales by E. Gaston Campbell

E. Gaston Campbell, with offices at 327-328 Hildreth building, reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16:

Agreements have been signed for the purchase and sale of 15 acres of land in Braintree to parties whose names will be mentioned at a later date. Agreements have also been signed for the purchase and sale of a seven room house, barn, shed, large number of poultry houses, fruit trees of all kinds and six acres of land. This place is situated near Mountain Rock, Tyngsboro, and full particulars will be given upon passing of full papers.

Sales by F. D. Russell

F. D. Russell reports the following sales for the week ending Oct. 16: Contracts have been signed for the purchase and sale of a double two and one-half story house with about 6000 square feet of land, situated near Fletcher street. The buildings are assessed for \$300 and the land for \$250. The purchaser buys for investment. Agreements have been made for the purchase and sale of a nine tenement block with land thereto, situated near Broadway. The property is assessed for \$6000, and is purchased for an investment. Full particulars will be given when final papers are passed.

ILLINOIS CAPS

Some interesting information on the mortar making qualities of Illinois sands are the trustees of a bulletin issued by the University of Illinois at Urbana. The matter has been prepared by C. C. Wiley, associate in civil engineering, and in addition to a description of the various tests carried out at the engineering experiment station there is an interesting discussion together with diagrams showing sieve analysis curves for the various samples.

PREPARING THE DANCE FLOOR
A contractor down in Kentucky had a lodge room for dancing. The floor was of maple and had been cleaned with a power sandpaper machine so that it was smooth, level and clean. He had thought that he would fill and give two coats of a good floor varnish, then wax and polish it, but the trustees seemed to think that the varnish would not stand the wear of dancing and would run badly. The contractor, however, thought that as long as the floor was kept well waxed the varnish would not get much wear and yet would be a good foundation for the wax. In order to decide the matter he wrote to the Painters Magazine, stating the case, and in reply the following suggestions were offered:

Maple floors do not require filling. When used for dancing the very best thing is to give them several coats of prepared white floor wax, using a weighted floor brush for polishing. While filling is not required, one coat of white shellac varnish will make a good ground for the wax, but the wax will itself make a good filler. When a maple floor is to be varnished in order to keep it light in color three coats of white shellac varnish should be applied and if subject-

not being so slippery, but having a dull smooth surface. As the floor becomes worn it should be gone over at least every few weeks with a floor oil made up of seven parts raw linseed oil, two parts turpentine and one part of white shellac varnish. This should be applied with a brush and then rubbed in with a cloth wrapped about a weighted floor brush so that it will not remain sticky.

THE 1913 LUMBER PRODUCTION

The production of lumber in the United States in 1913 was, according to the official figures just issued by the United States department of agriculture, about three-quarters of a billion board feet less than in 1912. The year 1912, 2,555,000,000 board feet against 1913, 1,915,000,000 board feet. The high-water mark in lumber production was set in 1909 when the country exported 44,000,000,000 feet in 1907 and 1910 the cut was slightly over 40,000,000,000 feet. No other years have come up to the record of the last two years.

Notwithstanding curtailment in the production of yellow pine and Douglas fir, the reported cut of yellow pine was about seven-tenths of one per cent, and of Douglas fir about 7 1/2 per cent, greater in 1913 than in 1912. The cut of Douglas fir last year was the largest ever reported. While the cut of yellow pine was second only to that of 1909, had not enforced curtailment in the output of these two woods been necessary the total lumber production of 1913 would undoubtedly have exceeded that of 1912. In fact, had not the cut of white pine declined in 1913, the increased cut of yellow pine, Douglas fir, cypress and red gum in that year would have carried the total beyond the record of 1912.

The reported production of 4,592,055,000 feet in Washington in 1913 was the largest ever recorded in that state by any other state. The largest production previously reported by one state was that of 4,311,249,000 in 1909 by Michigan. Valuable tables are given in the report of the department showing the number of mills and lumber production by states; also the cut of various kinds of wood. These reports were secured and the data compiled by the bureau of crop estimates of the department of agriculture in cooperation with the forest service. The figures show that about 70 per cent. of the total lumber production in 1913 was sawed by mills cutting 10,000,000,000 feet and over annually. Some of these mills cut only one kind of wood, such as yellow pine or Douglas fir, but others cut several kinds.

BUILDING DO'S AND DON'TS

The following "Do's and Don'ts" for the "Builder" were contributed to Keith's Magazine by James Edmund Jones:

Swing bedroom doors so that when partly open they do not expose the bed to view.
Make liberal allowances for switches for electric lights. Most people spend money unnecessarily for extra switches after the house is finished.
Put hot water boiler elsewhere than in kitchen which is usually quite warm enough. Indeed, most maids keep a door or window open and effort to rest of the house and their effort to keep cool.
Any radiator place boiler in cellar, as it radiates heat which may be economically used elsewhere.
Plan kitchen to face the east as light is required most in the morning. Allow plenty of window space in the kitchen.

Plan to fill ice box through an opening from outside the house where there should be a trap to wash the ice and drain to a sewer.
Supply two-inch water-main from street as smaller pipe does not give sufficient pressure. See that pipe from the street is lead or galvanized iron, as ordinary iron rusts.
Place sink where dripboards may be built on both sides. One for dishes to be washed and the other for dishes ready for drying. Place sink where light, both natural and artificial, is good so that dishes may be thoroughly washed.

Place laundry tubs at least two feet away from the wall where light is almost sure to be better. It is easier to get a floor clean and sweet and pipes are less likely to freeze. Besides the laundry can handle wringer, etc., to better advantage.
Provide drains in laundry and elsewhere in cellar so that floors may be washed off with hose.
Provide a root cellar under veranda or elsewhere where there are no pipes. Do not concrete the floor as vegetables, etc., keep better. If you have such a cellar you can keep down the high cost of living by obtaining goods in wholesale quantities.

Install a coal-chute in one of the many modern improvements. See that openings to clothes-chute are not larger than necessary and are placed high from the floor, so that little children may not be in danger.
See that laundry windows are large—area them if necessary. Have exit from laundry convenient to back yard. Have an outside entrance, as well as one to the cellar, from the kitchen.

Place a small light in a conspicuous place in the kitchen to indicate whether the cellar switch has been turned off.
Make sure that switches are not placed behind doors or in other inconvenient places.
Have plenty of base-board outlets to supply piano, library and den tables, etc., and arrange outlets in dining room so as to give a choice between direct and indirect lighting.
In planning the shape of the bedrooms, place all your furniture to mark it on the plan. Don't forget

the radiators but place them so they do not occupy valuable wall space.

Over the beds have wall lights which may be turned on and off by a chain when one has retired. Be sure to place lights in bath room so that a man may see both sides of his face when shaving. Have medicine cupboards over the lavatories in the bathroom and elsewhere with mirrors in the doors.

There is usually some waste wall space in a bedroom where a small bookcase may be built into the wall for favorite books. This may be a guest's bedroom especially attractive.

See that the picture mouldings are included in the original contract so as to reduce the amount of inevitable extras.

Have removable panel under the staircase or elsewhere to make a secret cupboard to store valuable goods when the family is away.

Have a small safe built into a brick wall.

Have electric lights in the closets if possible.

Have a high-up medicine cupboard where poisons and medicines may be safely kept out of the reach of children.

Have at least one of the doors of the linen closets drop so as to make a table upon which linen may be laid previous to distributing it.

See that the back stairs are properly lighted.

To insure the up-keep in painting have only the amount of work necessary to give a substantial appearance.

Have the best veranda at the back where privacy may be found, and have an exit to it from the dining room or living room.

REAL ESTATE TRANSACTIONS

For the Week Ending Oct. 17, 1914

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Lella H. Qua et al. to Constance M. Hockmeyer, land on Holyrood ave.
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Edward F. Slattery et ux. to Margaret E. Grinnell, land and buildings on Harrison Place and West Eleventh street.
Mary Louise Swan Baron et al. to Martina A. Sage, land on Swan ave.
Celia Levin et al. to Israel Levin, land and buildings on Howard street.
Joseph A. Coran by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land and buildings cor. Smith ave. and Middlesex street.
Benjamin Libby's heirs by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land and buildings on Branch street.
Victoria Berge by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land and buildings on Market street and Flood's alley.
Sam Glazer et al. by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land on Swan ave.
Arthur I. Grossman by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land on Andover street.
Gleeson P. Salls by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land cor. May and Lincoln streets.
Ida L. Thompson by coll. to Cilmeina H. Drake, land and buildings on Market street and Flood's alley.
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DAY-BY-DAY—This Is a Sad Story, Mates

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Bedard, Yates, Trautman and Shaheen Fail to Turn in Money

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Joseph Bedard of Lawrence, William Yates of New Bedford, William Trautman of Chicago and Joseph Shaheen of Lawrence, members of the committee which handled funds subscribed for the relief of striking mill operatives' families at Lawrence in 1912, have failed to turn over to John F. Cronin, clerk of the supreme court, as ordered by Judge Hammond, about \$15,000, for which they were held to have failed to account satisfactorily.

Proceedings were brought against the men by the attorney general at the instance of Rev. Herbert S. Johnson, James M. Prendergast, Robert Wood and other contributors to the fund.

Judge Hammond gave the defendants 10 days to turn the money over to the court and the time has expired.

DECISION RESERVED

Judge Hammond Hears Arguments in Hoyt's Bill for Reinstatement at Labor Board Secretary

BOSTON, Oct. 17.—Judge Hammond reserved his decision in the suit of Grover C. Hoyt against Alfred W. Donovan and the other members of the state board of labor and industries for a writ of mandamus to compel the respondents to reinstate him to the position of secretary of the board, which he held under the classified civil service rules from 1913 until that office was abolished by the board on August 1, 1914.

He claimed that the action of the board in appointing Edward F. Wallace, a lawyer, as counsel was really an attempt to evade the provisions of the civil service law.

Robert Cushman, to whom the case was referred as auditor, finds that Wallace is now doing substantially the work once done by Hoyt.

One of the points relied upon by counsel for the petitioner in his argument was that the statute requires every board and commission to have a secretary.

Mr. James Harter of 231 Appleton street has resigned his position at Chalmers' department store. He left Friday night for Chicago where he will accept a similar position with a large firm. He will make his home with his sister, Mrs. W. J. Richards in that city.

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- 1 All box numbers commencing with the figure one, as 12, 13, etc., up to 131, are located on Western avenue and about one-half mile from the North common, extending from Dutton street north to Pawtucket street and from Concord street east to Concord river.
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- 7 All numbers commencing with seven, as 71, 72, etc., are located in Pawtucketville.
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HEAVY RAIN DRENCHES THE FIELDS OF BATTLE

PARIS, Oct. 17.—A steady downpour of rain has drenched the fields of battle. The discomforts of the troops have been augmented by the rain and the difficulties of operations increased. With the resumption of fighting today interest centers in that point in the long line where the most important developments are expected. This is on the left wing.

The brevity of recent official communications is being commented on in Paris today and the fact that fighting has been going on as usual is making the people of the city ask if the present comparative silence is not the lull preceding the storm.

The joining of the barrier between the coast and Ypres to that of the central front, has made it impossible, in the judgment of French military experts, to turn the allies. On the contrary, it will now be necessary for the Germans to attack the allies

on their front and it has been thought here that such an attempt would be made between Ostend and Ghent. To challenge this argument, however, is the fact that significant developments are said to be taking place near Lille.

Colonel Roussel, the military critic, in his review of the situation today declares that it is now too late for the Germans to envelop the Franco-British line on their left. "I see in the change of front operated by the enemy," the colonel writes, "only an admission of increasing embarrassment. German strategy is at the present time a little disconcerting and I believe that the directors of this strategy are themselves completely disconcerted. They have tried to force both our wings. The engagements in the region of Roi and Lannoy have partaken of the character of a German attack. They have not procured for the Germans any benefit, nor have the combats which have taken place on the other extremity of our front."

GERMANS NOW OCCUPY OSTEND

LONDON, Oct. 17, 3 a. m.—A dispatch to the Daily Mail from Boulogne under date of Friday says:

"It is reported here that the Germans have been driven from Lille."

A dispatch to Reuters' Telegram company from Arras, dated Wednesday, says:

"This town is still in the firing line and exposed to the enemy's attacks. Only yesterday the Germans made another attempt to recapture it under cover of darkness, but after several hours of violent artillery and rifle fire the French were left in possession of all their positions."

The capture of Lille, which the Germans occupied with an army corps, would be in line with recent successes of the allies, at Estaires and Laventie, frustrating the German effort to reach the French coast cities.

ENGLISH AEROPLANE WAS SHOT DOWN AND TWO AVIATORS CAPTURED

LONDON, Oct. 17.—A despatch to the Exchange Telegraph company from Amsterdam says that according to the German paper Der Tag, an English aeroplane was shot down near Peronne, France, inside the German lines. The two aviators aboard were captured.

GULFS OF RIGA AND FINLAND CLOSED—RUSSIANS LAY MINES

PETROGRAD, Oct. 17.—The Russian government announces that because of the presence of German submarines in the gulf of Finland and the sowing of

mines in Russian waters by the enemy it has been compelled in turn to have recourse to similar measures. Consequently certain zones of Russian waters, especially those near the gulfs of Riga and Finland and the littoral archipelago must be considered as dangerous.

In order that non-combatants shall not run risks the entrances and exits of the gulfs of Riga and Finland, it is stated, are considered closed from the moment of publication of this notice.

VIENNA REPORTS FIGHTING ALONG THE ENTIRE BATTLE FRONT

VIENNA, Oct. 17.—(Via London)—It was announced officially in Vienna today that the fighting continued yesterday (Thursday) along the entire battle front from Strzy and Sambor, both to the south of Przemyśl to the mouth of the river San, Hungary. In Marmaros-Sziget, the enemy has been pursued by Austrian detachments, which have occupied Palla.

In the valley of the Black Bistritza the enemy has followed them to Zellona. The river Bistritza and the town of Zellona are in Galicia, close to the Hungarian frontier and to the north-east of Marmaros-Sziget.

REPORT GERMANS LEAVING OSTEND FOR THE EAST—DAMAGE AT MALDEGHEM

LONDON, Oct. 17.—The correspond-

ent of the Times today telegraphed the following story regarding the movement of German troops in northwestern Belgium.

"The German troops are leaving Ostend for the east. Approximately 5000 are now lodged in the public buildings of Ostend. Two thousand have left Zeebrugge and there are no Germans between Pess and Sluis. The Germans collected at Muges are behaving as if they were at Maldegheem have caused considerable damage."

FEATURES OF LAST NIGHT'S WAR NEWS GIVEN IN BRIEF FORM

French report they have captured Laventie, on the way from Estaires to Lille.

Germans occupied Ostend Thursday, according to Berlin official report.

Allies have saved western railway system of France, says Paris report.

German reinforcements sent to western battle front estimated at 300,000 men.

German column defeated with heavy loss in passes of the Vosges, as reported at Basel.

Hungary has 30,000 cases of cholera. General Staff claims Col. Gordon of Gordon Highlanders admits dum dum bullets were issued to him.

Marquis di San Giuliano, Italian foreign minister, dies in Rome.

Honolulu wireless station may be closed for alleged violation of neutrality in reporting arrival there of German war vessel Geler.

TWO AUTOS COLLIDED

Crash in Central Street Held up Traffic for a Time—Nobody Injured

Traffic in Central street was held up for a short time this forenoon as a result of an automobile collision which occurred near the corner of Central and Warren streets about 10.15 o'clock. Fortunately, no one was injured, although it is said both machines were traveling at a rapid rate when the accident happened.

A small Maxwell runabout, owned by Dr. Richard J. McCluskey, and driven by an employee of a local garage, collided with Dr. Fred E. Varney's Ford machine, while they were attempting to pass each other in front of the Talbot Clothing Co's store. It is understood that one of the machines

skidded and the driver lost control of it in the middle of the street.

A front wheel on the Maxwell car was broken off, while slight damages were caused to the hood. The Ford car escaped with only slight damages to the front wheel.

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DISINTEGRATION OF THE N. E. RAILROAD TRUST

Dissolution Decree Says New Haven Must Divest Itself of Vast Holdings of Trolley and Steamship Lines and Must Part With Certain Railroads Including the Boston & Maine, Forever, by Public Auction if Necessary

WASHINGTON, Oct. 17.—The disintegration of the great railroad, trolley and steamship transportation monopoly built up in New England during the past 12 years by the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad company is prescribed in detail by the decree filed today with the federal court by Attorney General Gregory in the government's dissolution suit. Briefly, the railroad trust must divest itself of vast holdings of trolley and steamship lines and must part with certain railroads brought under its domination, including the Boston & Maine, forever, and by public auction, if necessary.

The control of many of the New Haven's subsidiaries passed today with the filing of the decree from the hands of trustees and into the hands of the government. The time limit set for the final parting varies, but in no case is it to be deferred beyond July 1, 1918.

Whether there will be linked under one management in the future the affairs of the New Haven road and the fleet of steamships operated by the New England S. S. Co. is to be determined later by the court after the inter-state commerce commission passes upon the application of the New Haven company for authority to retain stock in the steamship company.

In certain steamship companies, however, the New Haven railroad must surrender its controlling influence.

The filing of the decree today closes the civil proceedings in connection with the government's investigation of the New Haven road. The criminal and the investigation still is under way. To the government's dissolution decree the railroad company consented; in fact for a time it appeared as if the big monopoly would be dissolved without the formality of a government suit. An eleven-hour lull in plans for the disposal of Boston & Maine railroad stock provoked the filing of a dissolution suit. Once the suit was filed the government and the railroad specifically came to terms and the present decree was drafted. Under its terms the suit is dismissed against all individual defendants and certain corporations subsidiary to the New Haven and the remaining defendants are found guilty of being a monopoly in restraint of trade. The single exception to this finding was the Boston & Maine railroad, which is controlled by another defendant, the Boston Railroad Holding Co. The petition against the railroad company was dismissed without prejudice.

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NOTRE DAME REUNION

Continued

Roberta Sneden Cummings of Boston; chorus by Notre Dame choir.

No feature of the day was enjoyed more than the "golden hour" spent with the venerable and beloved sister. An original poem, written by Miss Anne Devine was read by Miss Agnes McKenna of Boston. The Notre Dame alumnae choir sang a chorus. Then followed the main event—the presentation of a basket of golden letters to Sister Mary Emilian by Miss Katherine Maguire McKelken of Boston, chairman of the reception committee.

The ushers for the reception were as follows: Julia Allen, Alice Walsh, Louise McCosker, Margaret Donovan, Julia Slattery, Josephine Dunlavy, May Crowley, Elizabeth Murphy, Helen Devine, and Miss Mary Johnson.

Those who were members of the reception committee: Mrs. Katherine Maguire McKelken, Miss Margie P. Marren, Miss Josephine Murphy, Miss Mary Donohoe. The chapel ushers were members of the class of 1914.

Among those present from Lowell were:

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Miss Mary A. Egan
Miss Alice E. Sullivan
Miss Mollie Sullivan
Miss Kathryn White
Miss Irene Lawler
Miss Helen Crowley
Miss Minnie Creamer
Miss Madeline Sullivan
Miss Mary A. Reak
Miss Maria Lennon
Miss Sophie M. Grant
Miss Blanche Walsh
Miss Margie Marren
Miss Mary Marren
Miss Mollie Brennan
Miss Mary Johnson
Miss Julia Allen
Miss Gertrude Allen
Mrs. Cecil Donahoe
Miss Eleanor McAdoo
Mrs. Annie Quinn Coffey
Miss Grace Delaney
Miss Clotilda Delaney
Mrs. Sophie M. Grant
Miss Lucienne Bealton
Miss Mary L. Crowley
Mrs. Catherine Martin Holmes
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Miss Sadie Kelley
Miss Josephine Kelley
Miss Mary E. Donohoe
Mrs. Nora Lynch McGaughan
Miss Annie Donovan
Miss Josephine Murphy
Miss Margaret McGuckey
Miss Catherine Fitzgerald
Miss Mary E. Fitzgerald
Miss Rose Hanlon
Miss Kathleen O'Dowd
Miss Elizabeth Murphy
Mrs. O'Brien
Mrs. Stasia Corbett Reurke
Mrs. Teresa Corbett Donohoe
Miss Nellie A. Corbett
Miss Margaret Corbett
Miss Winifred Pihl
Miss Catherine Hill Foyl
Miss Mary V. McCosker
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Miss Louise McCosker
Miss Helen Halloran
Miss Lulu Lambert
Miss Alice Lynch
Miss Mary E. Lynch
Mrs. Katherine Barry
Miss Lucy O'Donnell
Mrs. Frank Hurd
Miss Ella McCreary
Miss Teresa Slattery
Miss Minnie Danahy
Miss Mary O'Hearn
Miss Margaret Donohoe
Miss Ellen Lynch
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Mrs. M. J. Sullivan
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Miss Alice E. Donohoe
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Miss Mary Walsh
Miss Katherine Quinn
Miss Michael J. Sullivan
Miss Helen Smith
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Miss Mary Dunlavy
Miss Anna McCarron
Miss Beulah Coughlin
Mrs. Frances McQuade
Miss Alice J. Callahan
Miss Grace Fee
Miss Mary Dalton
Miss Margaret Lawrence
Mrs. Carmen Rediker
Mrs. Josie Cummings Farrell
Mrs. Lilla Farrell Barrett
Mrs. Nora Farrell
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Miss Virginia Fillion
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ANNIVERSARY MASS

An anniversary mass of requiem still sang Wednesday morning at 8 o'clock in St. Michael's church for the repose of the soul of the late Thomas Kelly.

Friends invited.

LIFER FLEES; CELLMATE AND GUARD KILLED

FOLSOM, Cal., Oct. 17.—Possessing the country surrounding Folsom state prison today for Frank Creeks, who escaped last night in a break for liberty which cost his cellmate, Harold Flash, and J. H. Drury, a sergeant of the guard, their lives and resulted in serious injury to two prison guards. Warden John Smith, in charge of the pursuit, is using bloodhounds and as they were put on a warm trail the officials believed the fugitive would soon be captured. Creeks is armed and it is thought that he will fight to the last.

Creeks, a life term, and Flash, who was serving a 20-year term for robbery, were the only prisoners concerned in the outbreak.

They had obtained a knife, a dumb-bell to be used as a bludgeon and a piece of metal with which to unlock the door of their cell. Gaining the yard they crouched behind a door leading into the main corridor of the prison and awaited the approach of Sergeant Drury and Guard Kerr.

When the two, bearing four guns for the guards inside, entered, they left the outer door unlocked. As the inner door swung to, the convicts leaped upon them. Drury fell with three knife wounds in his head and three in his body. Kerr was struck with the butt of the outer door and staggered back through the outer door and attempt to close it.

The keys, however, had fallen with the sergeant and the door could not be locked. Waiting but a moment to snatch the guns and the keys from the body of the sergeant, the two convicts started for the outer yard. Kerr held the door until the muzzle of one of the guns was thrust into his stomach and then retreated.

The convicts rushed out and immediately Kerr opened fire. At the first shot Flash fell with a bullet through the back of his head. Almost at the same moment Guard Mayer, stationed at one corner of the yard, emptied his gun at Creeks, who, however, had wound the guard in the leg. Before another guard could interfere with his progress Creeks escaped.

HELD BATTALION NIGHT BOARD OF TRADE

ENJOYABLE OCCASION AT THE STATE ARMORY LARGELY ATTENDED

Hundreds of young people from this city and the suburban towns gathered at the state armory in Westford street last evening to witness the military work of the four local companies under the direction of their respective officers. The affair was heralded as "Battalion Night" and was the first of its kind ever held in this city, it having been planned by Major Colby T. Kittredge, with a view to giving the public of Lowell an opportunity to see the millitiamen in action.

As the different companies went through their movements they were loudly applauded by the spectators who filled the gallery and every available seat in the armory. Frequently, the captains and other officers were given a hearty ovation while the work of the privates was also appreciated and given the National Guard. All in all, the affair will go down as a great success and will undoubtedly be repeated in the near future.

One of the features of the evening was a talk on military courtesy by Captain Greig, U. S. A., inspector-in-charge of the National Guard, South Carolina. He informed the audience what should be expected of all soldiers and spoke highly of the accomplishments of military companies in this state.

Then followed a battalion drill in which the four local companies participated. The men wore their natty olive drab uniforms and presented a splendid appearance. This feature was carried out under the direction of Major Kittredge and won great applause. Brigadier General Gardner, U. S. A., in command of the National Guard, in his address, retired, then gave a talk on discipline, which was heard with interest and appreciation.

MONDAY'S SUN FEATURES

Women's Page Will Be Published With Usual Fashion Features—"Lady Lookabout" and Others

On Monday, The Sun's Women's Page will be published with a wealth of fashion hints, household suggestions, cuts depicting the latest styles and many highly interesting special articles. This Monday feature of The Sun will contain very many items of importance to the women, valuable helps in everyday home matters, descriptions of the newest fall styles, articles on dressmaking, etc. The women of Lowell have been led in their praise of this page and now they look forward to its publication each Monday.

"Lady Lookabout" will also appear in Monday's Sun and the usual clever and witty observations by the writer of this interesting special feature will please the readers. The other special articles will include "What the Cook Says," "The Housewife's Tale," "The Rabbit's Foot," all containing useful suggestions and interesting reading. The "Sleepytime Tales" will please the kiddies.

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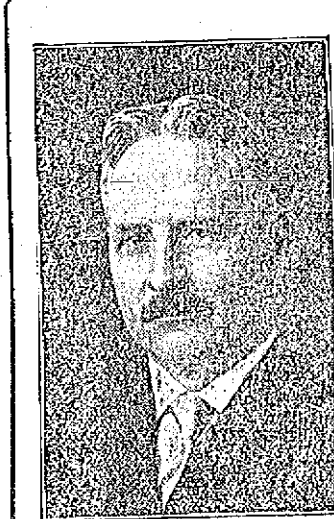
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